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Communication In Province Hit By Sliding Snow

Aftermath of Rain Takes Toll In Disrupting Railways, Roads

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17 (CP)—Snow slides and floods—aftermath of yesterday's rains—today spread havoc throughout British Columbia. Rail, highway and telephone communications were badly disrupted.

A Canadian National Railways mainline passenger train, stranded with 80 persons aboard, was expected to limp into Vancouver late tonight or early tomorrow morning. It had been snow-bound at Stout, 114 miles east of here since Wednesday, but officials said a detour to Canadian Pacific Railway lines would enable it to proceed.

TRAINS CANCELED

However, they announced cancellation of C.N.R. passenger trains out of Vancouver tonight. They "anticipate" Cariboo slides to the Fraser Canyon would be cleared to allow normal schedules tomorrow. Also marooned in the area are about 150 motorists, none of whom are known to be seriously ill, but who are badly chilled.

Eight hour save were swept from Canadian Pacific Railway lines at Goryell tonight, 38 miles east of Grand Forks, B.C., in the southeastern Interior. No one was injured. Lakes, 15 air miles from Powell. The rare dropped 200 feet into the snow after one slide halted the train.

Without fresh supplies for two weeks.

Telephone communications with the East were seriously hampered and were barely being maintained.

STILL COVERED

The Trans-Canada Highway was still covered at Flood, B.C., by a giant snow slide. It will not likely be cleared until Saturday.

On Vancouver Island, preliminary surveys of damage left in the wake of fast-receding flood waters, indicated at least $100,000 will be required to repair and rebuild roads, drains, ditches and embankments.

An airlift to an isolated logging camp near Powell River, 60 miles northwest of here, was carrying on today.

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AKLO Sulmer (right), and his wife Hanna, two fugitive Hungarians claiming they have "final and absolute proof" that the conviction of Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty was a farce built on a stack of forged and distorted documents," view what they say is microfilm of the documents, in Vienna, Austria. The Sulmers, who described themselves as official handwriting experts of the Hungarian Government, fled to Austria recently and now are to the protective custody of American occupation authorities in Western Austria. They said they are waiting to be questioned by the Cardinal Mindszenty for just what it was—a monstrous crime by the Hungarian Government."

Blackstock Named New Deputy Chief

Will Head Police Department At Year's End; Gadsden Dissents

Inspector John Blackstock was appointed deputy chief of the city police department by the Police Commission yesterday.

He will succeed Chief John A. McLellan on his retirement at the end of this year.

Motion to name Inspector Blackstock to the next-vacated position was made by Commissioner James Neely and supported by Mayor Percy E. George, commission chairman.

Commissioner Burges J. Gadsden didn't vote on the motion, but by the rules of procedure, this was taken as an affirmative vote. At the outset of the meeting, Commissioner Gadsden said he didn't want to discuss the appointment unless the meeting was closed.

It is expected that Detective Inspector Harry Mercer, only other contender for yesterday's appointment, will succeed Deputy Chief Blackstock when Chief McLellan retires.

BOTH EQUAL

"The two men are equal in every respect that seniority of service was the only yardstick by which to judge them," Mayor George explained.

Joining the department Mar. 3, 1927, Deputy Chief Blackstock had two years' more service than Inspector Mercer and was also appointed inspector sooner.

Forty-two years old, Deputy Chief Blackstock is a native son. He was promoted to sergeant in February, 1941, and to inspector on August 14, 1945. In December, 1947, he served as acting chief after the injury of Chief McLellan.

GIVES REPORT

Chief McLellan submitted a report to the commission on both inspectors, but made no recommendation as to his choice.

Deputy Chief Blackstock's new appointment was made retroactive to February 1. His salary will be $310 a month, an increase of $10 over the chief's $300 pay.

Mayor George reminded the commissioners that they had already gone on record that Deputy Chief Blackstock attend the F.B.I. School at Regina on its reopening.

The meeting was highlighted by actions of Commissioner Gadsden who objected strongly to discussing the appointment in public. At Monday's meeting, by a majority vote, the commission ruled that Wednesday's meeting be open to the press.

He said he had certain things to say about the appointment which could be dealt with better in private.

DISSENT

"I don't wish to upset public opinion over the things I want to say. Anyway, I was entitled to express myself as I did the other day," declared Commissioner Gadsden.

Mayor George replied that the public has a right to know what was going on, and that the commission had ruled "in a democratic way" to have a public meeting.

Commissioner Gadsden then started to read a letter which he wrote to the commission in 1947 outlining qualifications a deputy chief should possess.

JOHN BLACKSTOCK

"I can't comprehend what you are driving at in producing this old letter," Commissioner Gadsden said.

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Blockade Tightened By Russia

BERLIN, Feb. 17 (CP) — German police in the Soviet sector began building street barricades today to plug loopholes in the Russian blockade of Western Berlin.

This work was being carried out along the border between the Russian and American sectors. Police units have been maintaining traffic controls in the area for several weeks to halt "smuggling of contraband" into the blockaded Western districts.

The new road blocks are designed to prevent vehicular traffic from running through police control points.

Iron stanchions were driven into the roadbed of a bridge at the boundary. Parking rules were torn up at another point and used to build a barricade. Police were assigned at both obstacles.

Tonight a German who tried to drive a Soviet sector policeman over the Soviet boundary into the American sector was shot and killed by a policeman. Western police headquarters reported.

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BULLETINS

Strike Ends

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 17 (CP)—Striking taxicab drivers went back to work tonight and Philadelphia's 11,000 subway, trolley and bus workers got within six cents of a settlement in the city's week-old transit tieup.

Officer Vanishes

DETMOLD, Germany, Feb. 17. Reuters)—Lt.-Col. F. Monnelly-Finch, head of the Yugoslav Restitution Mission in Germany, has disappeared after receiving a recall home, it was learned here today. The colonel was said to be anti-Communist. It was reported that he had declared himself a political refugee.

Confirms Arrest

MOSCOW, Feb. 17 (AP)—The Ministry of Foreign Affairs today confirmed to the United States Embassy the arrest of Anna Louise Strong, American writer, on charges of spying.

The Russian note today said Miss Strong "will be deported from the Soviet Union within a few days" but made no acknowledgement of a United States' request to see her.

Drive on Church Said Continuing

PARIS, Feb. 17 (AP)—Selden Chapin, recalled United States Minister to Budapest, said tonight the arrest of Roman Catholics is continuing in Communist-dominated Hungary.

Chapin, who is en route to Washington, flew here from Budapest.

Hungarian authorities demanded Chapin's ouster as an aftermath of the case. Chapin was accused during the trial of encouraging the cardinal to support establishment of a monarchy in Hungary.

He termed the trial and conviction of Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty "a travesty of justice" and added: "It is impossible to explain the transformation of that lion who was chief of the Hungarian Catholic Church."

Chapin, who is en route to Washington, flew here from Budapest.

Referring to the charges against him, Chapin said the members of the Hungarian Government, "are gentlemen. It was enough to know that, no matter how innocent a man might be, if you threw enough filth at him, some of it is bound to stick."

He said he wanted to repeat "what I have said before — the charges against me are nonsense and pure fantasy."

Czech Leaders Hold Talks With Bishops

PRAGUE, Feb. 17 (AP)—High-level talks between Government and Roman Catholic Church leaders began here today, the Czecho-Slovak press bureau announced. Subject of the talks was not disclosed.

The announcement said only that all questions which have arisen between the Central Committee of the National Front (Government Coalition) and the Roman Catholic Church were being considered.

Representing the Government were Justice Minister Alexej Cepicka, Deputy Premier Vilem Siroky and the Ministers of Information, Transport and Public Works.

The church was represented by Dr. Stepan Trochta, Bishop of Litomerice; Joseph Carsky, Bishop of Kasps. Dr. A Lazik, Bishop Administrator of Trnava, and other high-ranking prelates.

Officials told the Central Action Committee of the National Front Wednesday night that one of the remaining tasks is to make certain that religious faith is not misused against the State.

Public information organs charged that Father Joseph Plojhar, Minister of Health, and members of the Slovakian State Government remained stripped of their priestly functions.

Labor Party Retains Seat In By-Election

LONDON, Feb. 17 (Reuters)—Labor retained its seat in the Bassey and Morley, Yorkshire, by-election when Dr. A. D. J. Broughton was elected with a majority of 1,686 votes, it was announced tonight. Labor won the seat on the 1945 general election by a plurality of 11,502.

Candidates were Dr. Broughton, a social medical practitioner who polled 24,514 votes, and A. M. Rawsden, Conservative, a Huddersfield solicitor, who received 16,828.

Figures at the general election were: Labor 32,662, Conservative 11,160, Liberal 4,356.

Before tonight's result, Labor had retained 26 seats and the Conservatives 13.

The Conservatives had gained three seats, one from Labor and two from Independents. Of the remaining two, one in County Down was won by a Unionist from an Independent Unionist, and the other at Bridgeton, Glasgow, was retained for the Independent Labor Party by J. Carmichael, who later joined the Labor Party.

Hebert Arrives In Mexico City

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 17 (CP) — Charles Pierre Hebert, Canada's new ambassador to Mexico, arrived here tonight from Cuba. He will present his credentials to President Miguel Aleman next week.

Montreal Pair Under Arrest

MONTREAL, Feb. 17 (CP)—Frank and Helen Perrault, brother and sister of convicted murderer Douglas Perrault, were arrested here tonight by police said they had evidence the pair conspired to help Perrault and Noel Chaillier escape from Bordeaux Jail here and shoot down a guard.

Perrault and Chaillier were sentenced to death for the murder of two policemen.

Commission Won't Open Agreement With Police

Victoria Police Commission yesterday refused to open its agreement with the Police Federal Union.

"There is a limit to the city's capacity to pay," Mayor Percy E. George declared.

The union is asking for a 40-hour week and other amendments to the present agreement.

The union bargaining committee was called before the commission to hear the decision.

"A special meeting of the union will be called," said Sgt. Wally Andrews, union president. "Personally, I think the refusal will mean the union will go to the Labor Relations Board and apply for conciliation.

JUST PAID

Commissioner Neely said he felt the union should consolidate its gains in view of recent pay increases. Sgt. Andrews pointed out that the boosts have only just been paid, and that negotiations started long before.

The commission, however, assured the committee that consideration is being given to granting three weeks' holidays after ten years' service and two extra statutory holidays. This, however, did not constitute opening of the agreement, it was stated.

Commissioners, prior to meeting the union, said they would like to grant some of the lesser requests, but the agreement couldn't be amended in those points at the 40-hour week Commissioner Burges J. Gadsden estimated institution of the shorter week would require hiring of nine more men.

Asks Benefit Be Extended

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP)—George Drew, the Progressive Conservative leader, urged tonight in the Commons that Federal legislation be amended to extend War Veterans' Allowance to so-called "Imperial" veterans both in Canada and Newfoundland.

"That is a step which should be taken as compensation for the Canadian Legion and the Imperial Veterans' Association," he said.

George Cruickshank (L., Fraser River) said he agreed with Mr. Drew.

He was glad to see that Mr. Drew had adopted many of his policies.

He raised the ire of some Progressive Conservatives when he said when he said three members of the party were out fighting by-elections while a vote was taken in the veterans' committee on extending benefits to Imperial veterans. The vote had ended in a tie.

Howard Green (P.C., Vancouver South) said he had been replaced on the committee before he went West to the by-election campaign.

Loading Curb Ends April 1

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP) — The Board of Transport Commissioners tonight announced removal of war-imposed maximum loading restrictions on railway freight cars, effective April 1.

Under those restrictions, originally imposed by the Prices Board and continued in 1947 by the commissioners, shippers and the railways were subject to penalties for moving freight cars without maximum loads.

Beard Asks Tide Study As Future Power Source

The Provincial Government should give serious attention to harnessing tides as a source of electric power, Charles Beard (Cowichan-Malahat) said to the Legislature yesterday.

Tides, he said, were consistent power movers and few people realized that millions of tons of water poured through many constricted areas at a rapid rate, including those near Race Rocks, Active Pass and the Bedwell Rapids.

The widespread shortage of power created by low rainfall should make such an inquiry pertinent, Mr. Beard contended, and tidal power did not interfere with the spawning grounds of fish.

SAID PRACTICAL

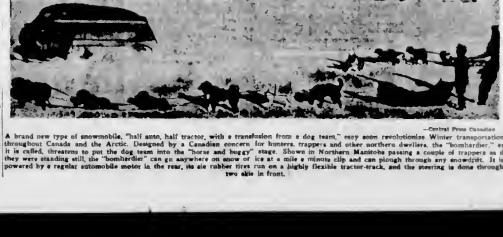
Mr. Beard said he knew that he would be unable to convince members as to the practicality of tidal power, because he had not sufficient capital. He had had, however, the advantage of working with Dr. Graham Bell on hydrofoils and stated that "no scientist or engineer can convince me they are impractical."

The principle in using hydrofoils, similar to airfoils in the propeller said, was to convert the horizontal action of the tides into a new one and from a vertical one to a rotary one which would be used to generate power.

Mr. Beard said he realized that public opinion was a force. "Geration and obstruction" but added:

"I personally think there is absolutely no limit to what could be done for this province in obtaining power economically from God's unfailing gift to us."

Snowmobile May Revolutionize Winter Transport in Canada



A brand new type of snowmobile, "half auto, half tractor, with a transfusion from a dog team," may soon revolutionize Winter transportation throughout Canada and the Arctic. Designed by a Canadian concern for hunters, trappers and other northern dwellers, the "bombardier," as it is called, threatens to put the dog team into the "horse and buggy" stage. Shown in Northern Manitoba passing a couple of trappers as if they were standing still, the "bombardier" can go anywhere on snow or ice at a mile a minute clip and can plough through any snowdrift. It is powered by a regular automobile motor in the rear, its six rubber tires run on a highly flexible tractor-track, and the steering is done through two skis in front.

—Central Press Canadian

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Trial Curtain Put Aside; Czech Waiter Sentenced

MUNICH, Feb 17 (AP)—A United States military commission, officially ordered to be less secretive about its spy trials, today sentenced a waiter on the Orient Express to 20 years at hard labor.

By order of Maj.-Gen. Maxwell Taylor, the commission disclosed the conviction and sentence and identified the slender, brown-haired prisoner as Premisek Kliczka, 31.

Kliczka is one of 20 persons rounded up by the army last November on charges of being members of a Czecho-Slovakian espionage ring. He claimed French citizenship, but said his wife lives in Czecho-Slovakia.

The Orient Express is a crack international train that runs from Paris through such strategic cities as Strasbourg, Stuttgart, Munich, Salzburg, Vienna and Budapest.

Gen. Taylor, chief of staff of army ground forces in Europe, issued the authorization for naming of defendants and announcement of the findings after Gen. Lucius D. Clay, the United States commander in Germany, ordered an investigation of the commission's plan for obsolete secrecy in two of the five trials scheduled.

The commission, headed by Brig.-Gen. John L. McKee, refused to specify Kliczka's nationality, but an interpreter said Kliczka spoke the Czech is protesting the conviction, Kliczka is sentenced "for espionage." A few minutes later, the announcement was corrected to delete the word "espionage" and substitute the words "violation of military government ordinance No. 8."

That ordinance covers "acts prejudicial to the security or mission of the United States forces," communication of information "which may be dangerous to the security or property of Allied forces" or any other act "endangering the security of Allied forces." Gen. McKee told reporters this "could embrace espionage."

To Date Old-Age Pension April 1 for Newfoundland

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP). — Health Minister Martin said today in the Commons that the Federal Government will be prepared to make its aid-age pensions legislation applicable to Newfoundland as from April 1 of this year.

The pension payments will be dated from April 1 if that is agreeable to the Newfoundland Provincial Government when it is elected.

Speaking after Opposition members had urged that Newfoundlanders be made eligible for old age pensions from the very day their province joins Canada as a tenth province, Mr. Martin said:

"I can assure my honorable friends that, not only will there be no delay, but there will be a great desire on the part of this Government to enter into an arrangement with the new Province of Newfoundland to make payments on old-age pensions at the earliest possible date. If it can be done April 1, it will be."

PENSIONS VARY

The pensions are payable to needy persons 70 years and over, but they vary from province to province. The scale in Canada now ranges from about $20 to $40 a month.

Mr. Martin's statement did not mean that 70-year-old Newfoundlanders will receive a pension sheque shortly after the consummation of the island's union with Canada. It means, however, that if Newfoundland chooses, the first cheques will be retroactive to April 1.

Mr. Martin said family allowances payments in Newfoundland will amount to $6,600,000 a year.

REPORT SOON

At the House opening, Prime Minister St. Laurent said the Government expects to have the report of the Royal Commission on Prices before the end of this month.

In debate on the Statutes Bill, Veterans Minister Gregg assured Opposition members that New Newfoundlanders will get every benefit that other Canadian veterans obtain. Justice Minister Carson said he will check to make sure that the provisions are complete for the attention of all benefits.

Navy Surgeon Abandons Arctic "Exposure Test"

A BOARD H.M.S. VENGEANCE, Feb. 17 (Reuters).—Surgeon-Lt.-Cmdr. E. Boyd Martin last night gave up his planned six-day "exposure test" for the Royal Navy Arctic Force after almost three grueling days.

The officer had been perched on a gun platform pretending to be a lonely airman brought down on an ice floe. He was testing a special airman's protection suit designed by himself.

No one was surprised at his decision in view of yesterday's grim weather.

In a screaming gale a Banfora gun swung round to sweep away his small tent made from a parachute and within a short time he and his kit were hidden under driving snow.

Last night heat from the warm ship thawed the snow and Martin's sleeping kit soon became soaked with slush and ice.

Blackstock New Deputy Chief; To Succeed McLellan This Year

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letter. First you said you didn't want to discuss the matter in public and now you are doing so," stated Mayor George.

"Well, I feel restrained from talking freely on the appointment," Commissioner Gadsden explained.

It was then decided to delay the appointment discussion until after union requests had been dealt with. After the discussion resumed, Commissioner Gadsden said he had no one man in mind when he wrote the letter.

SOMEONE ELSE!

"Do you think we should pick someone other than Blackstock or Mercer?" asked Commissioner Neely.

Commissioner Gadsden sat silently for about one minute, and then replied:

"No, I think both men have good qualifications. But I'm somewhat of the opinion that the chairman and you have already decided who will be appointed."

"That is an unfair statement," said the mayor. "No doubt we all have given this a great deal of thought, that because you didn't get your own way about the closed meeting you refuse to vote."

Commissioner Gadsden stated there were certain things the mayor had told him of which he was unhappy about.

"I can't say what, but you know," he said.

"I don't know what you are talking about. Commissioner Gadsden, you decide! Let us get other elected board and get the privilege I've given you today," retorted the mayor.

Commissioner Mafeden then wouldn't vote when the mayor put the motion.

Communists Only Starting Struggle to Rebuild China

SHANGHAI, Feb. 16 (NANA) —The most difficult phase of their conquest now awaits the Communists in China, in the view of informed sources in this commercial city. It is held that reconstruction of China's industry and amelioration of the condition of the property-stricken masses will prove a far greater challenge to Red abilities than either the military liquidation of the armies of the Kuomintang or the political dexterity in achieving power.

Precisely because of Nationalist incompetence in reconstruction and reform, they lost the civil war. But the Communists are taking over the poorhouse which the Nationalists have surrendered. They are also shouldering the obligation to put it on its feet. Their success or failure will have not only repercussions here, but throughout Asia.

BETTER EQUIPPED

In certain respects, the Communists come better equipped to the task of national rehabilitation than did the Nationalists. They promise to provide a definite degree of peace. Importantly, they have the still inexhaustible riches of Manchuria, reputedly a less graft-ridden bureaucracy and a more energetic entrepreneurship.

On the other hand, the Reds lack access to the credits, the relief and the American patronage which the Nationalists enjoyed. The theorist of Union, still grappling with its own reconstruction, is believed to be in no position to supply China with the capital, equipment and machinery it requires.

Visionaries with the Chinese Communist Party are talking about this modernization of China's industry and agriculture. It is doubtful if these theorists have adequately estimated the astronomical figures this modernization would involve. Even the reconstruction of the country to its pre-war (1937) level of production demands a panoramic aggregate of every conceivable industrial necessity.

The United Kingdom's trade mission to China, in banishing China's requirements from Britain, started off with locomotives, and, having exhausted the list of transport, agricultural equipment, engineering, electrical, chemical, building, medical and general supplies, ended up with cod liver oil and whisky.

A year ago, the Kuomintang Supreme Council drew up the blueprint of a five-year plan which was to cost over $3,000,000,000. It was admittedly an elementary program that would have done little more than get China started on the road toward industrialization.

Jointly, U.N.R.R.A. and the E.C.A have poured over $800,000,000 U.S. into the rehabilitation of China. Judging from the mess that is Chinese industry today, it is indeed questionable if several times this sum is necessary to complete the job these agencies attempted.

In the vast land area of China there are less railroads than in the state of Missouri, and much of what there is has been damaged by Communist sabotage or is otherwise suffering from the deterioration that is everywhere China's most obvious inheritance from two wars. Though embracing one-twelfth of the earth's surface, China has only 43,000 miles of roadway, most of it barely comparable to side roads in the United States.

China needs (minimum requirement) 400,000 telephones and 1,500,000 miles of telephone and telegraph cable. Certainly the linking of far-flung China is a prerequisite to any industrialization and modernization of the country. The evacuation of many of China's airlines imposes a new hardship upon a country where it is 1,500 miles from Mukden to Kunming and 1,000 miles from Shanghai to Chengtu.

But transportation is only one phase of China's poverty. China now requires 900,000 spindles, but has only 4½ million annually, and it needs 900 ships to revive its prewar river and intercoastal traffic. It needs mining equipment, power plants, wool, steel and coal. In a word, the nation seems to need everything but what is in greatest supply—population.

If Lenin's dictum that Socialism plus electrification means Communism, then Communism is a far-away prospect in this Asiatic land. The total generating capacity of all power plants is less than the total electricity consumed in the city of Newark, N.J. One-quarter of all electric output is in Shanghai. In Manchuria, where the Japanese had made some real effort at electrification, the Russians stripped the great plants of Suifenho and Kirin, depriving Manchuria of a power supply one and one-half times as great as the total output of China proper.

Protest Hunt By Detective

TORONTO, Feb. 17 (CP). — The Chinese Community Centre charged today that a city detective, Wednesday, searched every store and residence on Elizabeth Street, main thoroughfare of Toronto's Chinatown, without producing a search warrant.

A letter containing the charge was sent to Mayor Hiram E. McCallum and Controller Allan Lamport.

Police did not reveal the object of the search. Senior Magistrate R. J. Browne said the complaint would be carefully before the Board of Police Commissioners.

Fraser Board "Given Best"

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17 (CP). — A Vancouver paper said today the Dominion-Provincial Board for the Fraser River Basin has been given "the widest possible latitude" in research and planning for the future of British Columbia's water system.

The paper said details were made public today in a signed agreement between the Federal and Provincial Governments, each of which pay 50 per cent of the cost. The first year's cost is set at $170,000.

Vessel's Crew Reported Safe

SAN PEDRO, Calif., Feb. 17 (AP).—The crew of the burning tuna freezer ship Reina Del Mar, who abandoned ship 450 miles south of here, today were rescued by a passing freighter, the Coast Guard reported. Twelve men were believed aboard the Reina Del Mar.

The survivors are to be taken to Magdalena Bay. No reports of injury were received.

Rumors Sweep Buenos Aires

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 17—(AP)—The rumor business is good in Buenos Aires. A dearth of newspapers and magazines, because of a printers' strike is the reason.

Foreign newspapers are being imported in this Argentina capital at 3,000,000 persons. Radio stations have stepped up their news programs. But these measures have failed to fill the gap.

Queer stories, some of which stands up under investigation, circulate in coffee shops, business houses and homes:

"A general strike is imminent."

"A government reorganization has taken place, affecting even President Juan Peron and his wife."

"Gasoline prices are being doubled and the milk supply is going to be cut off."

All have been shown to be untrue, but still go the rounds.

The rank and file of the city's 80,000 printers have defied union leaders who signed a new contract with employers.

U.K. to Ship Finished Steel

LONDON, Feb. 17 (Reuters). — Britain is to export more finished steel to Canada this year, Harold Wilson, president of the Board of Trade, told Parliament today. The industry, he said, aims at sending between 80,000 and 90,000 tons.

Says Price Drops Only Leveling-Off

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17 (AP). — President Truman today declared his belief that current price drops are only the leveling-off that everybody has been looking for.

He toughed the statement at a press conference with an emphatic renewal of his call for a $4,000,000,000 tax increase.

The President spoke confidently of an improved outlook.

He said he thinks personally the business situation today is nothing to be alarmed about, but a leveling-off.

Target Set At $5,000,000

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17 (CP). — A national appeal for $5,000,000 will be launched by the Canadian Red Cross Society next month, C. A. Scott, Provincial Division Commissioner, said at the annual meeting of the division here today.

He said the target is $2,000,000 higher this year than in 1948.

INDIAN WOMAN DIES. 123

WAPATO, Wash., Feb. 17 (AP)—Nearly a century and a quarter of life ended this morning at Wapato where Mrs Nadwesa Weanuxya died at the age of 123.

Her nieces, only survivors, Nellie Eyle and Alice Oumpich, both of Wapato, said the aged Indian woman was born in the Yakima Valley and had lived here all her life.

Edmonton Group Protest Action On Highway Before Discussion

EDMONTON, Feb. 17 (CP).—Calling of a public meeting to protest any action being taken on extension of a trans-Canada route through Alberta until the advantages of all routes are considered, was decided today at a meeting of the Edmonton committee of the Trans-Canada Highway System Association, it was announced here. The meeting will be held Monday.

A telegram will be sent Hon. James A. MacKinnon, Minister of Mines and Resources, expressing concern over his announcement in Ottawa that he had received British Columbia's recommendation that the trans-Canada section in that province follow the Banff-Big Bend section through the Rocky Mountains. He will be informed of the decision to hold the protest meeting.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP).—Resources Minister MacKinnon today told the Commons he had received British Columbia's recommendation that the trans-Canada highway section in that province follow the Banff-Big Bend route through the Rocky Mountains.

The minister gave this information from a report received from E. C. Carson, Minister of Public Works. He did not table the documents.

CHOICE APPLAUDED

A number of Western members applauded his announcement of the choice of route through the mountain range.

The British Columbia report, one of the first from provinces to be received, was tabled by Mr. Gregg.

Suspect Gets Bail of $1,000

Vernon Hanson, no fixed address, was allowed bail of $1,000 in city police court yesterday, when charged on two counts of forgery to obtain prescription inhalers.

In one case the name of Dr. D. M. Baillie was used on a prescription presented at Cunningham's Drug Store, Douglas and Yates Streets, February 14. In the other, Dr. S. E. Knapp's name was used at the Owl Drug Company, Douglas and Fort Streets.

Appearing without counsel, accused asked and was granted a remand to next Monday for election and plea.

TOOK ISLAND'S NAME

Sardines were named after the island of Sardinia.

DRAINAGE SYSTEM

The Amazon River drains an area as large as the United States.

Says Defence Must Be Foremost Consideration

SOUTH HADLEY, Mass., Feb. 17 (AP).—Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, Canada's delegate to the United Nations, said tonight that in all matters of atomic energy, national defence must be the first consideration.

The former Canadian Defence Minister said the beneficial uses of atomic energy in peace are limitless. But, he warned, even small quantities of atomic materials are a "terrible menace" in the hands of unscrupulous persons.

NO COMPROMISE

"There can be no compromise of security until the position has been made safe by means of an international agreement for the control of atomic energy which will give accessable safeguards," he said.

McNaughton spoke before a club on the eve of the first meeting since last April of the United Nations Atomic Energy Commission.

Former head of Canada's Atomic Energy Control Board, McNaughton is a leading member of the commission. It will make another attempt to break the East-West deadlock on a formula for international control of atomic energy.

He said the survival of civilization depends on international control of atomic energy. He emphasized that new atomic bombs are perhaps 10 times as destructive as those dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki.

MIGHT START WAR

Knowledge that a "hostile, aggressive" state has atomic bombs might lead to war, he added.

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The Local Scene

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Rotary Club Presents $1,500 To Queen Alexandra Solarium

Presentation of a cheque for $1,500 to the Queen Alexandra Solarium from the Rotary Club highlighted its meeting yesterday at the Empress Hotel, when members of the women's auxiliary directed the program.

In presenting the cheque to Miss Gwen Nunn, president of the Solarium Junior League, Club President Louis Michelin explained it represented proceeds of the club's annual radio auction held over CJVI last December.

The entertainment program, conducted by Mrs. Anna Doherty, president of the women's auxiliary, consisted of a monologue by Mrs. Gordon Downes and vocal selections by Mrs. Marion Campbell, with Mrs. E. A. Cartwright at the piano.

Winners of door prizes presented by the "Rotary-Anns" were George Brown, G. C. Parnell, Frits Meyer, Laverne Sands, William Turner and Roy Denny.

A large number of members will visit the explosives plant of Canadian Industries Ltd. on James Island this afternoon and evening. The "Home Towners" will perform as a show for the benefit of residents of the island. The tour was postponed several weeks ago due to bad weather.

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PROJECTOR STOLEN

Theft of a motion picture projector and two loudspeaker units from Lampson Street school was reported yesterday to Esquimalt police. It was not known when the articles, valued at $150, had been stolen.

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PRESENTED CUP

Presentation of a cup was made to the Vancouver Island Rabbit Breeders Association by L. Baker at a recent meeting. The cup will be won outright by the member who gains the most points during the year.

A successful point show was held.

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DOG BLAMED

Lawyers for complainant and defendant in a case involving possession of a dog allowed to have bitten complainant were urged by Magistrate H. C. Hall in Saanich police court yesterday to meet with each other and make some arrangement to clear up the situation.

Complainant was Mrs. L. Backus, 2615 Seaview Road, owner of an Irish setter. Defendant was Victor Sherman, 2901 Seaview Road, whose black Labrador is the cove of the case.

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WANTS ENTRIES

Those interested in entering the YMCA Camera Club photo contest are asked to submit applications and pictures as soon as possible, Robert Morrison, program director, announced last night.

They will be accepted at the YMCA, he said.

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CRIBBAGE HAND

It took ten years but yesterday Constable James Baxter joined the ranks of the few who have managed a perfect cribbage hand—26 points.

Playing with Sergeant Walter Andrews at 5:30 p.m. in the police station lunch room, Constable Baxter was dealt three fives and the jack of spades.

Sergeant Andrews obliged by turning up the fourth five of spades. Constable Baxter won, naturally.

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COMMUNITY WORKERS

Isobel Bescoby of the Unemployment Insurance Commission, will address the Community Workers Club at a dinner meeting February 22 at 6:45 p.m. at the YMCA.

Persons wishing to attend should phone E 6166. The club is open to any person interested in community welfare.

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DISCUSSES GLADIOLUS

Gladiolus varieties and diseases was the topic of A. Douglas at a meeting of the Victoria Gladiolus Society last night in the City Hall.

Members expressed their intention to exhibit baskets at the annual show to be held in the Crystal Garden, August 3 and 4.

Today's Question

Answer on Page 4 —

What was the name of the first steamship in regular transatlantic service?

College Students Visit New City Arts Centre

Photos by W. Atkins, British Columbia Press Agency

Doors of Arts Centre of Greater Victoria, 823 Broughton Street, were thrown open this week to visiting students from Victoria College. Shown above, left to right, Mary Emmerton, Mary Butters and Vincent Holmes join Mrs. Ina Uhthoff in some critical glances at Eric Revilious' "Ark Royal in Action." Painting has proved to be high among favorites.

Blood Donor Clinic Opens in Esquimalt

B. J. Watt and B. Thomas, son of Reeve A. L. Thomas, of Esquimalt, were first donors when Red Cross Mobile Blood Clinic was opened in Esquimalt Community Hall yesterday. During the day 180 donations were taken, majority from H.M.C. Dockyard workers who came to clinic in relays. Shown above, left to right, are Mrs. A. T. Jones, president Esquimalt Red Cross; Councillor A. C. Wurtele; Mr. Watt; Mr. Thomas; Major D. A. MacNaughton, chairman of transfusion service here, and Mrs. R. McVie, president of Esquimalt Community Club.

Flood Damage $100,000 In Area, Survey Shows

Leaving thousands of dollars damage in their wake, flood waters in Victoria and vicinity had receded yesterday and conditions were returning to normal.

Cost of rebuilding roads, ditches, drains, embankments, and damage to private dwellings in Lower Vancouver Island will amount to more than $100,000, surveys showed yesterday.

Throughout yesterday, property owners appealed to police and fire department for assistance in pumping out flooded cellars and roadways following the record rainfall of Tuesday and Wednesday.

City police last night requested Department of Public Works employees to hang red lights in the approaches to the 900 block of Hereon in their wake, flood waters in ward Road where the roadbed has sunk under heavy pressure of flood waters.

A large hole was reported on Scott Street, north of Kings Road, and motorists were warned to drive carefully in this section of the city.

DAMAGE HIGH

In Saanich alone, damage was estimated at more than $30,000 for repair of washed-out culverts and drains.

Saanich police last night reported conditions there as "normal."

Cyril Jones, city engineer, said most of the front lawn, garden ground and a few days of heavy traffic would tell whether roadbeds would crack.

The Oak Bay district suffered road damages estimated at close to $2,000. Repair work was started yesterday and traffic on all roads last night was open. Street lights, turned off Wednesday, plunging the district in darkness, were on last night.

The Rocky Point Bridge was open today and all communications were restored.

Near 17-Mile House a temporary bridge has been built over a gully where rain waters washed out a culvert, and a washout on Coal Creek Hill, near Shirley, has been repaired.

Both areas were isolated, Wednesday.

Residents near the Brentford Estate on Blenkinsop Road, where flood waters rose from 18 inches to three feet, complained of poor drainage.

Intermittent snow flurries fell in the Victoria area throughout Thursday. Last night was cold with scattered light rain.

Weather forecast today is cloudy, with the temperature at 40 degrees.

Ten Years Set For Program Reeve States

It will be ten years before Oak Bay roads and services are in first-class condition under the present works policy, Reeve R. A. Wootton said last night.

He was addressing a meeting of the Oak Bay Kiwanis Club in the Oak Bay Beach Hotel. Members of the Uplands district attended the Victoria Kiwanis Club were guests.

Mr. Wootton outlined the growth of Oak Bay from the first settler, John Tod of the Hudson's Bay Company, to the present day.

Although it was the wish of the people to join the Greater Victoria Water Board project, he said, he was not satisfied with the plan of representation so far as the municipality was concerned.

Amalgamation of Oak Bay with Victoria is another problem facing the council, he said, but "but I have never once had a resident of Oak Bay suggest we should amalgamate."

Illness Fatal To Mrs. N. Avery

Mrs. Nancy Angus Avery, 74, died Wednesday at Vancouver General Hospital after a brief illness, according to word received here.

She was born in Victoria and attended St. Margaret's College here.

Besides her husband, Charles W. Avery, of Oliver, she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy F. Angus of Summerland, and a sister, Jean Angus of Penticton, and two grandmother, Mrs. Forrest Angus of Victoria.

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Flames Damage Home Of Mrs. Jones

Fire damage estimated at $1,000 was caused to the home of Mrs. Ethel Jones, 1010 Rockland Avenue, when flames broke out in the attic yesterday afternoon.

Firemen said the fire was caused by a defective chimney flue.

Magistrate Counsels Neighbors

Two neighboring Saanich families learned yesterday that a police magistrate can be a good neighbor, too.

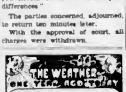
The ease, heard in Saanich police court before Magistrate H. C. Hall, involved charges and counter-charges between the families, whose homes are back-to-back.

After complainant and several witnesses had been heard on one of the charges, Magistrate Hall interjected:

"I suggest that both parties and their counsel get together and talk this thing over. It seems to me that you should be able to settle your differences."

The parties conversed, adjourned, to return ten minutes later.

With the approval of court, all charges were withdrawn.



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Need Encourage Housing Projects For Welfare of City, Mayor States

"If the family is the fundamental unit of democracy we must do everything in our power to establish young people in houses they can call their own," Mayor Percy E. Gee, George declared yesterday.

He drew attention to negotiations already carried out between the city and Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation, which will result in construction of an additional 100 low-rental houses in Victoria.

Council at a meeting this week approved a tentative list of lots from which locations for the new housing will be selected.

Mayor George sited the dangers of overcrowded living conditions which, in some cases, have jammed six or seven Victoria families into one house. He said extreme lack of comfortable accommodation, threatened the unity of some families, while sub-standard conditions of sanitation pointed the way to the growth of slums.

NOT ANSWER

Low-rental housing he said was not the entire answer to the problem, "but the only plan entered today through which we can obtain such houses is the one provided by the assistance of the Federal Government, the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation."

Mayor George yesterday received a letter from J. Palmer, secretary of the Citizens' Rehabilitation Council of Greater Victoria, commending the stand taken by City Council to relieve the housing emergency.

"We trust the City Council will take the necessary steps to obtain the building of a further 100 houses by Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation," Mr. Palmer wrote.

The Rehabilitation Council at present, he said, was providing emergency accommodation for 237 veterans families. Total number of families awaiting placement is 66, stated Mr. Palmer. During January, he added, 90 applications for housing were made to the Rehabilitation Council.

"Veterans' unplaced applications on the active files of Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation

Police Watch For Robber Of City Bank

All resources of the Victoria police department are being used in a concentrated search for the explosive gunman who, Wednesday, escaped with $6,300 from a city branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

Every possible escape route from the city is being watched, said Inspector Harry Mercer, chief of city detectives, who is in charge of the investigation. Every step possible, he said, is being taken to catch the thug who terrorized bank personnel and customers with three random shots from a nine-millimetre automatic.

Scene of the bank holdup, first in Victoria since 1943, was the Bank of Commerce branch at Bay and Douglas Streets.

Descriptions say the man was in his early 30s, five feet six or eight inches tall, weighing about 140 pounds, with dark hair and dark brown eyes, and wearing a cheap salt-and-pepper raincoat.

Witnesses differed as to whether he wore a hat or cap, but agreed he had gloves on.

FIGHT BLAZE

City firemen extinguished a blazing wood truck yesterday.

The fire broke out on the truss at 1 p.m. yesterday at Rock Bay Avenue and Bay Street. It took 40 minutes to extinguish.

FIRST BRITISH STAMP

The first postage stamp of Great Britain was issued in 1840 and bore the portrait of young Queen Victoria.

The use of pigeons as messengers goes back to 3500 B.C.

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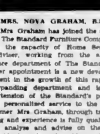

MRS. NOYA GRAHAM, B.Sc.

Mrs. Graham has joined the staff of The Standard Furniture Company in the capacity of Home Service Adviser, working from the appliance department of The Standard. Her appointment is a new development in the growth of this rapidly expanding department and is an extension of the Standard's policy of personalized service to the customer. Mrs. Graham, through training and experience is fully qualified to analyse and advise on the individual needs and problems of the housewife in the choice of appliances, gas or electric, best suited to the home in question. She will conduct demonstrations of appliances in use and will make visits in the home to insure that the housewife is fully satisfied with installation and instructed in every phase of operation. Cooking demonstrations and lectures will be arranged.

Mrs. Graham has attained the degree of Bachelor of Science in Home Economics and has had years of experience as a Home Service Director, both in Edmonton and in Yakima, Wash.

Pupils Take Survey To Aid School Board

"Any children in your house not old enough to go to school?"

"If so, how many?"

"How old are they?"

If you haven't been asked those questions by a pair of fact-finding students within the past few days, you will before the end of the month. It is all a part of the house-by-house survey being made in Greater Victoria to determine the number of pre-school children and the sections of School District No. 61 in which they live.

The census is being taken by the pupils of Grades VII and VIII and by the end of February more than 20,000 individual calls will have been completed. Armed with a map of the territory and census sheets on which to make their records, these senior pupils work in pairs. One of the pupils does the actual interviewing while the other takes notes.

The practice of taking a school census at frequent intervals is quite common in many parts of the country. It provides school authorities with accurate information which is useful in planning and caring for the welfare of children.

When the present survey has been completed, the gathered information will be assembled by the administrative staff of the Greater Victoria School Board. It will be used to estimate the school population for the next five years. The results will help indicate the sections of Greater Victoria where the need for increased accommodation will be greatest.

Hits Immigrants

QUEBEC, Feb. 17 (CP)—Premier Duplessis told the Quebec Legislature Assembly tonight persons coming to Canada as immigrants are carrying out "Pro-Soviet propaganda."

He said the arrival of such persons is "camouflaged but foreseeable."

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Federal Action on Airport Highway is Encouraging

THE move by the Dominion to include an initial $150,000 in Federal estimates towards the cost of a speed highway between Victoria and the T.C.A. terminus at Patricia Bay will be welcomed as a timely and encouraging step in the right direction. The Dominion has already put up $6,000 towards the cost of a road survey which the Province is conducting. Both Governments, of course, stand pledged to the undertaking, and it will be up to the Provincial Cabinet to say now what steps will be taken to fill the Province's part of the bargain.

There is no question at all that a fast, modern road link between the City and the airport is needed, and would serve the use and convenience of a population of more than 100,000. The T.C.A. terminus at Patricia Bay will already be under a time handicap until such a thoroughfare is made available. Isanish roads, with the incoming tourist car traffic from Sidney in season and the general business of a vastly grown settlement, have been developing road blocks of persistent dimensions. The new thoroughfare would relieve that strain, and clear at least one highway on which air-traffic could be handled with dispatch, with its passengers, airmail and air express business.

Since the Dominion has moved in the matter, the Province should say just what it intends to do to implement the undertaking. Not many individuals will credit that a sum of $300,000, on the dollar-for-dollar basis, would complete the road, even if only existing thoroughfares were used. The road survey, meanwhile, has no doubt suggested realignments and improved routing which it would pay to incorporate in the permanent undertaking. Having given their word, the two Governments should see this thing through as soon as possible.

Rain, Robbery and Fire Make Exceptional Day

A RECORD rainstorm, a bank holdup and a major fire all in one day made Wednesday an exceptional date for Victorians. The first two, fortunately, are not among the normal order of things in this area, even if newcomers may be pardoned for skepticism about the climate this Winter. Fires are more common, albeit major conflagrations are few, and in this instance the result was the destruction of an older building with considerable loss of stock. It was perhaps irony that fire should break out as the rainstorm abated.

Where nature is on the rampage there is little left to do but to stick it out, and this was the lot of many residents as they watched basements being flooded and roads made impassable. Damage was heavy throughout the southern end of the Island, and repair crews of all kinds had their hands full coping with the many demands made on their services. No serious impasse resulted, however, and public services managed to carry on much as usual. Bad as the situation was it could have been worse, which if a truism and not altogether comforting, reflects a perspective induced by more grievous happenings elsewhere in the world today.

Those concerned in the bank robbery had no optional perspective. It was an alarming experience for them, and one trusts that the culprits will soon be apprehended. The robbery was obviously planned, and the bandit a man of ruthless intention armed with the customary advantage of his kind. As would be expected, police forces of the area are combining in efforts to track him down, perhaps not so easy a task as some might suppose. Suburban branch banks being vulnerable because of their isolation, the holdup suggests the wisdom of installing in such institutions an alarm system connecting directly with police headquarters. This might not prevent robberies, but it would work towards more speedy arrest of the robber.

Textbook Rental Plan Affords Welcome Relief

EDUCATION Minister Straith's announcement that parents are to be relieved of a large part of the high cost of textbooks for pupils in the upper grades is likely to be received with general satisfaction. The Government's plan to rent books to students in Grades VII to XIII at an annual fee approximately one-third the purchase price parents would otherwise have to pay should afford substantial relief to families who find the financial strain of putting their children through high school a severe one in times of high living costs. While it may be felt by some that free distribution of books for the upper grades, as is made in Grades I to VI, would afford more realistic relief, the rental system should help to maintain a sense of responsibility for care of the books that might otherwise be lost.

B. C. Veterans Acquit Themselves Well in Land Usage

WORLD War veterans in British Columbia who participated in assistance offered under the Veterans' Land Act have shown themselves to be a sound investment for Canada. It is a matter for gratification to note that a survey of agricultural development of small holdings has placed ex-servicemen of this province far in front of the rest of Canada, with nine places in the first sixteen of the 85 small-holding subdivisions taken as samples across the Dominion. The Department of Veterans' Affairs is to be commended, too, on instituting a system of prizes as a means of fostering continued improvement and development of the holdings. Veterans who earned their re-establishment credits for the acquisition of farm land deserve all the encouragement and assistance the country can give them.

Thinking Aloud

". . . of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—of cabbages and kings."

By TOM TAYLOR

IT seems a peculiar effeumatance that nationalism run riot should turn so frequently to music to vent its spleen or promote its own misguided interest. Two wars have proved that. When the battle flags fly and patriotism is rampant you're a traitor if you so much as hum a favorite tune should his composer be on the wrong side of the fence, even if he lies innocently in a grave.

Actually it's all very silly, but it's more than that. It indicates a queer and dangerous perversion of mind, a mood that would deify the home-made beyond the limit of common sense.

Soviet strictures against painting, drama and music that do not reflect the ideology of the Politburo—a frightful strain on the creative artist, incidentally—illustrate what I mean.

In a war official Saskatchewan concern last year over the invention of a "dish" typical of that prairie province's eating habits reflects the same kind of super parochialism—and that is what extreme nationalism is—although this would be more in the nature of temporary gastronomic exhuberance. Yet if music can be regimented why not food.

REASONABLE PRIDE

South Africa is the latest centre of the itch to hamstring its composers in a search for a musical theme free of outside subversive influence. It wants the Mendelssohn and Wagner wedding marches eliminated from the skies. South Africa is feeling militantly national these days, of course.

Healthy nationalism is a good thing. Loyalties begin at the bottom. If you can't be loyal to Joe on your own level, you're not likely to be an acquisition if you move up to higher and wider echelons. The good internationalist is all for that. Nor if his ideal accepts are founded on reasonable national pride. The problem, as ever, is to strike the happy mean.

Pride can go wrong, for example, if Canada had a flag of its own, not to flaunt it arrogantly in some other nation's face but merely to let him know who and what he is. It would also be a healthy development if the term French Canadian passed into disuse and all Canadians were known as Canadians. The unity of the nation might be much improved.

That would be rational nationalism.

JINGOISM IN ACTION

It's when an oligarchy seeks to impose its standards on all others under the guise of internationalism that the obsession becomes jingoism in action. The worst of it is, jingoism in its jingoism carried to extreme, although many sympathisers fail to recognise it as such. True internationalism would invite compromise in the interests of all, flavored with the best contribution each participant could make to the general harmony.

The disease is the same when nationalism runs mad within its own borders, when its backers try to ram their philosophies down throats they would make ultra-patriotic.

That seems to be the case in South Africa. The time is ripe for the Afrikaans Cultural Council thinks, for matrimony to be blessed with homemade music. Five resolutions have been trending aisles to the tunes of "Here Comes the Bride" and the wedding march from Lohengrin, without even thinking of their German composers, perhaps quite unaware they weren't South Africans. The council wants to banish both Mendelssohn and Wagner from the marriage service and replace their now universal airs with something of a more "national" flavor.

To that end it has sponsored a competition for a truly South African wedding march.

A TALL ORDER

The Afrikaanders, however, apparently have a slight sense of humor, which even if unconscious may prove a saving grace in the end. A requirement of the winning piece is that it should be "as light as a bride waking over the carpet, and fill the nervous bridegroom with courage." That is rather a tall order. The composers have not only to be patriotic but also help-mates in addition. Romance in South Africa is to be well bolstered as well as the moral stamina of foreign inspiration. I wonder what the brides think of it.

In time, however, they may bow their heads in submission, if in the interim the farce inherent in such super-nationalism doesn't affect the serio-comic bone that the Afrikaan Cultural Council exposes no doubt all unawares.

This is the serious aspect of such obsession. National pride can be so stirred and worked on, even in seemingly shared connections, that common sense flies out of the window. If this were not so there would be fewer national divisions compartmented so arrogantly today.

Music hath charms, but in some countries only when the down beats are charged with political persuasion.

It's all very silly; but it is nevertheless no joke.

Today's Answer

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Hush Hush . . .

By HERBLOCK

"What do you think of the a-t-o-m policy?"

General Eisenhower's New Job

By JAY G. HAYDEN

(North American Newspaper Alliance)

WASHINGTON — One revealing angle of the return of General Dwight D. Eisenhower to Washington as over-all top military officer is that the navy, which once fought tooth and nail to keep Eisenhower out of that post, now appears to be hailing him with open arms.

The obvious reason for this change of heart is that the navy, no less than the army, is scared to death of the marked Congressional prejudice in favor of the Air Force. And both the land and sea "brass hats" are confident that Eisenhower would not have been brought in at this time unless he was known to be in full agreement with the budget recommendations of President Truman and Defence Secretary Forrestal.

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The time when the navy got itself all wrought up against Eisenhower was shortly after Mr. Truman entered the White House. One of the new President's first proposals after V-J Day was that the armed services be unified with a single secretary of national defence and a single uniformed chief of staff.

Just as President Roosevelt had shown strong favoritism toward the navy, Mr. Truman, a Great War artillery captain, exhibited symptoms of army preference. Generals Marshall and Eisenhower were seen frequently at the White House and they were suspected, at least by the navy, of supplying Mr. Truman's ideas respecting military unification.

Even more, the navy was certain that if a joint chief of staff was created, an army man, probably Eisenhower, would get the job. The White House plan proposed to alternate the chief of staff between the land, sea and air forces. But the navy felt that if the army got the first crack at this job under a president privileged in its favor, during a probable four years' duration of this setup the navy would be so subordinated that it would never again catch up.

At that time, also, the navy thought of the air force as an ally if not a continuing part of the army

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The navy was successful in holding off the unification for two years and has accomplished this as a result of a compromise dispersion of authority that has kept the armed services in a state of turmoil ever since.

The shift in navy attitude occurred last year when Congress voted a 70-group land-based air force in defiance of both the President and Secretary of Defence. Again this year, Congress has started on a pro-Air Force rampage, indicated by a vote of the House Armed Service Committee in favor of shifting $800,000,000, proposed for universal military training, to provide nine additional air groups and 702 new planes more than the President asked for.

Both navy and army spokesmen have been exceedingly pessimistic as to their ability to prevent this, and perhaps even larger air corps incursions, from adoption by Congress.

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General Eisenhower looks to be ideal from the standpoint of holding the Administration's budget line. For one thing, he personally asked for assignment of General Hoyt Vandenberg, present Air Corps chief of staff, as deputy chief of staff of the European Expeditionary Air Force, and later promoted him to command the Ninth Air Force

General Vandenberg, contrary to a widely held impression, is in full agreement with the President's $15,000,000,000 military budget, and he can be more than ever counted on to aid in maintaining this limit before Congress now that General Eisenhower has been enlisted to that end.

The fact that the Air Force High Command has complete confidence in Eisenhower's sympathetic understanding of their problems also should prove a great help in resolving the bitter conflict over divisions of functions between land and carrier-based planes.

In Europe General Eisenhower commanded land, air and sea forces without serious friction, an experience that would seem to fit him pre-eminently to decide how a future European war should be fought — the issue that mainly has kept the joint chiefs of staff in a continuous broil.

Letters and Excerpts

Letters to the editor on any topic of genuine public interest are welcome if they are brief, accurate and clearly written. Anonymous communications cannot be published. Letters must bear the correct signature and address of the writer. Unsolicited correspondence cannot be returned.

PARCELS TO EUROPE

Sir,—Considerable attention has been given, by means of radio, to the "Co-operative for American Remittances to Europe, Inc.," otherwise known as "CARE," which maintains an office for the convenience of Canadians at 195 Sparks Street, Ottawa, Ont.

I know that there are many of your readers who periodically send food and clothing parcels to friends overseas. Examination of the literature which I have received from the above office reveals a tremendous advantage "CARE" offers those who use its facilities, in comparison to those who (like the writer) have sent parcels and have never paid less than $2.50 for postage. In addition, much more can be purchased through this organization, which is a "non-profit, Government-approved service, organized by leading relief, labor and religious organizations to provide you with an efficient and economical way to send aid to the needy overseas."

If there are any of your readers who wish further information on this matter they should write to the above office, or communicate with the writer by phone at Belmont 168K.

D. R. HOOPER.

Langford, B.C.

STANDING IN BUSES

Sir,—May I add a few words on this subject? The chief bone of contention seems to be that standing in a bus is dangerous and that having paid ten cents one is entitled to a seat. True, standing in a bus is very dangerous, but as the B.C. Electric cannot, at the present time, get more buses, what is one going to do about it? One cannot expect a business man to walk all the way home at night, especially if he has any distance to go, simply to avoid standing in a bus.

As far as the ten-cent fare is concerned, one does not pay ten cents to get a seat, but for the privilege of riding in the bus. As far as getting a seat is concerned, one has to take a chance on that, especially if riding a bus during the rush hours.

There is another point to this argument. Many buses which look crowded are not crowded. They simply look to be crowded because the people are bunched up at the front end. I have seen a driver practically fall on his knees and plead with the passengers to move to the rear.

We have just started a new mode of transportation, and until more buses can be got the public has got to remember two things: If you are not in business, get home between the hours of four and five; if you have to ride on a crowded bus, get as far as you can to the rear. If you do that you will find that transportation here is not so bad as some try to make out.

W. E. PERRY.

19 Marlborough Street, Victoria, B.C.

Misrepresentation

Peace, there is nothing more far men to speak;
A larger wisdom than our lips' decrees.
Of that dumb mouth no longer reason seek,
No censure reaches that eternal peace,
And that immortal sea.

Believe them not that would disturb the end
With earth's invidious comment, idly meant.
Speak and have done thy toil; for my friend
Is gone beyond all human discontent,
And wisely went.

Say what you will and have your sneer and go.
You see the sparks, we only heed the frail
Of a great life, whose truth—men hats truth
so—
No lukewarm age of compromise could suit.
Laugh and be mute.

—LORD DE TABLEY.

A quiet conscience sleeps in thunder.
—From the German.

Time dissolves all things.—ARISTOTLE

Wires Within Wires

(From The Edmonton Journal)

THAT old saw about silence being golden appears to be getting truer all the time. Thanks to the progress of science, it is no longer safe to engage in plots, plans or conspiracies over the telephone or even in the privacy of your innermost sanctum. You never know who or what may be listening in.

This has always been a problem, of course. The eavesdropper listening at the keyhole is at least as old as keyholes, and the advent of the telephone was immediately followed by the appearance of the wire-tapper who listened in on private conversations by the simple expedient of hooking a wire over his victim's private line. But these crude methods are now obsolete, according to an American communications expert, William G. H. Finch.

Mr. Finch told an official investigating committee in New York recently that "a direct tap belongs to the horse-and-buggy days." Nowadays at least two devices are available which will do the job without physically cutting in on telephone wires at all. They can pick up a conversation 30 feet away, even through a wall.

Another recent hazard, encountered by many business executives, is the fake telephone repairman. He is a plausible and efficient fellow who arrives bright and early, announcing that he is from the telephone company and has come to repair the phone. This he proceeds to do, leaving a new and apparently quite harmless instrument in the place of your old one. But the new arrival is equipped with a device which can pick up conversations anywhere in the room—even when the receiver is on the hook.

Besides these wire-tapping devices properly so-called, there are all the varieties of dictaphones and wire recorders which may be hidden in the furniture to make a permanent record of your private conversations. There just isn't any privacy any more.

So far the chief victims of these devices have been businessmen. Lately, however, wire-tapping has entered high politics. The United States Department of Justice has asked for legislation authorizing it to tap wires and otherwise listen in on suspects in espionage and similar cases.

The time may soon come when the only safe place to hold a business conference or a family get-together may be out in the deep dark woods but then, who will know whether those squirrels are what they seem to be?

Fun, Fact and Fiction

A man we know is trying to cross bees with parrots. He hopes to produce a hen which will stroll into the kitchen and ask: "Where do you want it laid, ma'am?"

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A leading Hollywood producer predicts that Robert Mitchum, when he gets out of jail, will go on to "even greater things." Does this mean success, or that what's meant by the courage of one's convictions?

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If more people saw marine fever would see rum.

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Another horrible pun has been perpetrated. A Toronto Daily Star columnist commenting on someone else's remark that the music of the bagpipes is blood-curdling rather than bloodstirring says: "That's a skirious statement to make."

NIGHT SHIFT

Her office-hours begin at 9 o'clock.
Briskly she clatters through those early hours,
Armed with assorted psaakeys that unlock
The inner sanctum
Of the most aloof and inaccessible doors
Board-rooms, where top executives preside
Over the source of Empires, only mean
Waste paper, sodden ashtrays and a smell of stale
Expanse of private enterprise to clean.
Many have set outside that sentry-line
Of desks and waited, all to no avail.
Discouraged by a neatly-lettered sign,
But not this bearer of the mop and pail.
Who buries in, unawed, unheralded,
Where more exalted mortals fear to tread.

—Leslie Jennings in The New York Herald-Tribune

Observation Car: By G. B.

"THIS certainly is a crowded house I think the landlord should furnish a shoehorn," a man remarked while raiding a friend's ice James Bay rooming house. "If he did, he would charge extra rent for it," the friend snickered. . . . A Scandinavian arrived at New York with the express intention of starting a newspaper devoted exclusively to good news. He would be on hand with the weather forecasts to fulfill his ambition. . . . Sound sleepers need an alarm clock that would imitate the sound of sizzling bacon and eggs and percolating coffee . . . February is a short month. March is the month when income taxpayers are short. . . . In an address to students at Aberdeen University, Lord Wavell urged them to avoid the fate of modern man in the modern world, which was "a mere number on an identity paper and a hole punched in an index card. Hens and geese are cared for from cradle to grave, but that way lies slavery and iron curtains," he declared. Lord Montgomery observed in a speech at London, England, that youth lacked the adventurous spirit. "There is a general disinclination to do a good day's work. The general cry is for less work and more pay. The high sense of duty is lacking. There is no discipline. These are symptoms of a decline, a disease of morals, a disease that may have disastrous results unless we are very careful," he warned.

Looking Back

Through Colonist Files

25 YEARS AGO — The financial statement of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau shows that $36,088 was spent during 1923.

50 YEARS AGO—In the Legislative Assembly Hon. Dr. McKechnie presented a petition from the British Columbia Alliance on the subject of woman suffrage.

85 YEARS AGO — The House of Assembly affirmed by resolution that the House was not prepared to vote a subsidy of $6,000 towards a direct steamer line between Panama and these colonies.

Chambers' Story, Told to Hearing, Termed "Pages of Pure Dynamite"

By ROBERT STRIPLING
Chief Investigator, House Un-American Activities Committee,
1938-1948

Edited by BOB CONSIDINE

This is the seventeenth article in the Revealing series. It is Mr. Stripling's account of the Chambers case. Chambers before the committee, his startling testimony, pointed the way to the conviction of Alger Hiss.

Whittaker Chambers is a quiet, studious, flabby, pipe-puffing man who lived sporadically for ten years to tell his story of the Communist conspiracy against the United States to the proper authorities.

Eventually he gave up in disgust and probably would still be an obscure editor of Time magazine today if the House Un-American Activities Committee had not called him, more or less by chance.

What the committee eventually obtained from him, sensational as it was perhaps is only a part of what he can tell. But that part, unveiled enough to make it absolutely clear to all that a well-organized network—which unquestionably still exists—formed important United States diplomatic and military secrets to Russia a decade and more ago.

NAME UNKNOWN

I first became interested in Chambers without knowing his name. In the Spring of 1946, while inquiring into the record of Dr. Edward U. Condon, director of the National Bureau of Standards, I made an effort to establish the relationship between Condon and Nathan Gregory Silvermaster, a former Government economist accused by Elizabeth Bentley of heading one of the Communist spy rings working in Washington.

One day Ed Nellor, Washington correspondent of the New York Sun, asked me what I knew about a senior editor of Time who lived on a farm at Westminster, Md., and was to be questioned by a New York Grand Jury. Nellor had inquired about him at the Justice Department, but had been asked to "lay off."

I was interested in that jury's fluttering, for I knew it was hearing Silvermaster. I found that the Justice Department's name was Chambers, and thinking he might supply some needed information, I dispatched two Investigator to Time's New York office to question him.

They returned empty-handed. Chambers did not know Silvermaster, nor did he know Condon. However, he told my men that he had been a Communist and once years before had served as a courier between an underground apparatus in Washington and the party's New York headquarters. He added that he had told all this to Assistant Secretary of State Adolph A. Berle, and the F.B.I. when he broke with Communism, but that nothing had come of his revelations. He did not want to appear before the committee, he said.

NEEDED CORROBORATION

I forgot him.

But the startling testimony which Miss Bentley gave during her appearance before the committee on July 31, 1948 and the denials of those named and the blasts the committee received from liberals and left-wingers made it imperative that we get some kind of corroborating witness on our stand. The Justice Department, I recalled recently, had warned us that there were none.

I remembered Chambers, and subpoenaed him. Miss Bentley's story plainly was too hard to believe, I agreed. But if Chambers told part of his own work as a courier perhaps there would be links connecting his bygone activities with the later ones outlined by Miss Bentley.

On the appointed day, August 3, Chambers walked into my office accompanied by Frank Meyer, Washington bureau of Time. McNaughton had been enlisted somehow for a long time, but it had not interfered with our friendship.

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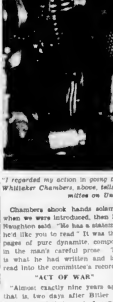

"I regarded my action in going to government as simple act of duty . . ." Whittaker Chambers, alone, like his reserved story to U.S. House Committee on Un-American Activities.

Chambers about hands solemnly to the human mind and soul. Then we were introduced, then Mr. recruited to join the Com- Naughton said, "He has a statement munist Party as whatever risk to he'd like you to read." It was three my life or sober tragedy to myself pages of pure dynamite composed or my family . . .

in the man's careful prose. This For a year I lied to hiding, sleeping by day and working through is what he had written and later read into the committee's record:

"ACT OF WAR"

"Almost exactly three years ago—that is, two days after Hitler and Stalin signed their pact—I went to Washington and reported to the authorities what I knew about the infiltration of the United States Government by Communists. For years international Communism, of which the United States Communist Party is an integral part, had been in a state of undeclared war with this Republic. With the Hitler-Stalin pact, that war reached a new stage. I regarded my action in going to the Government as a simple act of war, like the shooting of an armed enemy in combat.

"At that moment in history, I was one of the few men on this side of the battle who could perform this service.

"I had joined the Communist Party in 1924 on one recruited me. I had become convinced that the society in which we live western civilization, had reached a crisis of which the Great War was the military expression, and that it was doomed to collapse or revert to barbarism. I did not understand the causes of the crisis or know what to do about it. But I felt that, as an intelligent man, I must do something. To the writings of Carl Marx I thought I had found the explanation of the historical and economic causes. To the writings of Lenin I thought I had found the answer to the question: what to do?

LIVED IN HIDING

"In 1937 I repudiated Marx' doctrines and Lenin's tactics. Experience and the record had convinced me that Communism is a form of tyranny and barbarism, that its triumph means slavery to men wherever they fall under its sway, and spiritual night by night with a gun or revolver within easy reach. That was what underground Communism could do to one man in the peaceful United States in the year 1938.

"I had sound reason for supposing that Communism might try to kill me. For a number of years I had myself served in the underground, chiefly in Washington, D.C. The heart of my report to the United States Government consisted of a description of the apparatus to which I was attached. It was an underground organization of the United States Communist Party developed, to the best of my knowledge, by Harold Ware, one of the sons of the Communist leader known as Mother Bloor. I knew it at its top level, a group of seven or so men, from among whom, in later years, certain members of Miss Bentley's organization were apparently recruited. The head of the underground group at the time I knew it was Nathan Witt, an attorney for the National Labor Relations Board. Later John Abt became the leader. Lee Pressman was also a member of this group, as was Alger Hiss, who, as a member of the State Department, later organized the conference at Dumbarton Oaks, San Francisco, and the United States side of the Yalta Conference.

EVENTUAL OBJECTIVE

"The purpose of this group at that time was not primarily espionage. Its original purpose was the Communist infiltration of the American Government. But espionage was certainly one of its eventual objectives. Let no one be surprised at this statement. Disloyalty is a matter of principle with every member of the Communist Party. Every Communist Party exists for the specific purpose of overthrowing the Governments, at the opportune time, by any and all means; and each of its members, by the fact that he is a member is dedicated to this purpose . . .

"It is ten years since I broke away from the Communist Party. During that decade I have sought to live an industrious and God-fearing life. At the same time I have fought Communism constantly by act and word. I am proud to appear before this committee. The publicity foreseeable from such testimony has darkened, and will no doubt continue to darken, my effort to integrate myself in the community of free men. But that is a small price to pay if my testimony helps to make Americans recognize at least that they are at grips with a secret, disciplined and enormously powerful force whose lifeless purpose is their annihilation.

"At the same time I should like, thus publicly, to call upon all ex-Communists who have not yet declared themselves, and all men within the Communist Party whose better instincts have not yet been corrupted and stifled by it, to aid in this struggle while there is still time to do so."

The committee heard Chambers briefly in closed session, but after 18 minutes of his story one of the members interrupted. "Why," said the member, "is this in executive session? This should be in the open."

We moved to the caucus room of the Old House Office Building and began an unforgettable day.

Tomorrow: Mr. Stripling makes his own searching salysis of the character and career of Whittaker Chambers

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Three Executed For Leading Strike

SHANGHAI, Feb. 17 (AP)—The newspaper Shun Pao reported today the military garrison executed three bus company employees for leading a strike and disrupting peace during martial law.

The newspaper said the drivers were seized at 3 a.m. today as an aftermath to yesterday's bus strike. It added that the garrison court this morning sentenced them to ten years in prison but that the garrison commander reversed the sentence to death.

The men were executed at 6 p.m., the newspaper said.

Four Receive Suspensions

LONDON, Feb. 17 (AP)—The British Government has suspended four scientists engaged in secret defence research because of doubts about their loyalty.

The Institution of Professional Civil Servants announced the suspensions today. It said three of the men were employed by the Ministry of Supply and one by the Admiralty. The names were not made public.

The Ministry of Supply has charge of such defence projects as atomic weapons and guided missiles.

Health Centres Get Libraries

Reference libraries in health centres will be set up throughout the province, it was announced by the Department of Health and Welfare yesterday.

Planned by the Federal health grants, they are designed to assist public health nurses, sanitary inspectors and local medical men who are seeking information on public health programs.

Chaim Weizmann Inaugurated As First President of Israel

JERUSALEM, Feb. 17 (AP)—Dr. Chaim Weizmann today was inaugurated as the first President of the young state of Israel in a ceremony filled with ancient Hebrew symbolism.

Thousands of spectators lining Jerusalem's streets cheered and wept for joy as they viewed the procession held for the 74-year-old scientist who has devoted a lifetime to the Zionist cause.

Weizmann took the oath in the Jewish Agency building before the recently-elected Israeli Parliament. The 120-member Parliament named him President last night on the first ballot after adopting a new constitution.

ANTI-RUSSIAN

He had been provisional president since last May, when Britain surrendered her League of Nations mandate over Palestine and Israel proclaimed herself an independent state. Weizmann is pro-Western and outspokenly anti-Russian in his views.

The provisional Israeli Government headed by Premier David Ben-Gurion resigned in accordance with the oath in its Hebrew form.

With the procedure laid down in the new constitution, Weizmann will ask Ben-Gurion to form a new government.

As Weizmann entered the chamber for the ceremony today, the choice ceremonial ram's horn was sounded. Joseph Sprinzak, 63, Speaker of the House, administered the oath to Weizmann.

Weizmann stood before a huge portrait of Theodor Herzl, founder of the world Zionist organization. Herzl died 45 years ago, but his dream of a Jewish homeland inspired the men who brought Israel into being.

HELD BY ARABS

The inauguration was conducted a short distance from Jerusalem's old walled city. The old city is held by units of Trans-Jordan's Arab Legion as an aftermath of the fierce fighting that accompanied the birth of Israel. The Jews hold almost all of modern Jerusalem.

In the parliamentary vote on the Presidency last night, Weizmann received 83 votes to 15 for the only other candidate, Yosef Klausner, 73, a retired professor of Hebrew literature. Klausner was the candidate of the Freedom Party headed by Menachem Begin, former leader of the underground Irgun Zvai Leumi.

Reserve Units To Be Given Former Names

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP)—Reserve army units of the Royal Canadian Armored Corps will once again be known by the names they had before they became numbers during the war.

The army announced today that old names, often having geographic or historic connotations will be restored.

Officially the old name was not dropped when formations were numbered during the war. The proper title for instance, of a Halifax regiment was 23rd Armored Regiment (The Halifax Rifles) but in time units came to be referred to by their numbers and the older designation tended to disappear.

Under new orders the older name will be placed first in the regiment's title and the Halifax unit, like 30-odd others will become "The Halifax Rifles, 23rd Armored Regiment."

OLD REGIMENTS

The army said revival of the old designations was largely brought about through representations made to the Defence Minister by the Royal Canadian Armored Corps Association at its annual meeting last year.

Here are some of the titles and armored designations now to be adopted by British Columbia reserve force units:

Vancouver — The British Columbia Regiment (Duke of Connaught's Own) (13th Armored Regiment).

Victoria — The British Columbia Dragoons (8th Reconnaissance Regiment).

Pope May Create 14 New Cardinals

VATICAN CITY, Feb. 17 (AP)—Reliable reports that Pope Pius XII will create new Cardinals to fill 14 vacancies in the Sacred College were revived today by news of a secret consistory to be held next month.

There now are 56 Cardinals, including Joseph Cardinal Mindszenty under sentence of life imprisonment by a Hungarian court. Fourteen Cardinals have died since January 1946. Thirty-seven have died in the ten-year reign of the present Pope.

Senate Gives Its Approval To Federation

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP)—With the blessing of a reprimand voice from Nova Scotia's anti-confederate past, the historic move for union with Newfoundland cleared its final Parliamentary hurdle in two swift jumps in the Senate today.

It was sent on its way with the passing of "God Save the King" by Liberal Conservatives. Between then and March 31 the United Kingdom Parliament will enact the procedure that will make the step law and history.

Fully aware of the occasion the Senate gave approval both to the bill embodying the terms that will make Newfoundland a tenth province and to the "humble address" which asks the King to have his Parliament confirm them in legislation.

WISE DECISION

One final voice of approval, Senator Wishart Robertson, Liberal leader, expressed the belief as one echoed in the anti-Confederation atmosphere of Nova Scotia that Newfoundland was making a wise decision.

He would remember, he said as he closed the debate on the terms, his grandfather taking the Union Jack off the family fence post on July 1, the anniversary of Confederation.

"It ran slay there any other time," the old man would say "but not on July 1."

He could also remember his other grandfather's shipbuilding reminiscences and the general tendency to blame Confederation for wrecking the Maritimes' golden era.

But on balance the decision to join Confederation was a wise one, History since 1867 indicated that Newfoundland "has nothing to fear. The greatest protection for minorities was the general good sense of the Canadian people.

Otto Strasser Free To Make Speeches

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP)—Otto Strasser, Nazi who now is a refugee resident in Canada is free to make public speeches here as long as he remains within the laws acceptable to all residents of Canada, an External Affairs spokesman said today. Strasser recently started a speaking tour of Canada. So far as the officials here are aware his speeches have not been in violation of any law.

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Suspended Sentence Granted Accused

A suspended sentence of one year, plus a bond of $1,000, was handed down yesterday in city police court in the case of Mark King, former resident of Shanghai interned by the Japanese, now living in Victoria. He had been charged with attempted suicide.

As a late evening snack a glass of cocktail vegetable juices gives just the right zest to a cold meat sandwich.

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Vancouver Has High Death Rate

VANCOUVER Feb 17 (CP)—Vancouver had a new—but rather doubtful—distinction today. It has the highest death rate in the country.

The death rate is three times that of Montreal a city with three times Vancouver's population, Dr. Stewart Murray, medical health officer said. He said the reason is that "more elderly people come here to die."

ALTRINGHAM, Cheshire, England (CP)—Blue-eyed Barbara Duckworth, aged 16 months, has never been seen by her parents though they give her every care. Both father and mother are blind. Mr. and Mrs. Duckworth met in 1941, while taking a training course for blind people in Shropshire.

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First Reading Given Bill On Oleo Color

OTTAWA, Feb 17 (CP)—The Commons today gave first reading to a bill to prevent manufacturers from giving margarine the same color as butter.

It was introduced by George Cruickshank (L, Fraser Valley) who said the legislation was for the protection of the consumer as well as the country's dairy industry.

The bill would prevent retailers from selling margarine and other such substitutes for butter and would prohibit its use in hotels and other public eating places unless there was specific notice that margarine was being served.

The measure would provide a maximum fine of $500 or six months imprisonment for violation of its provisions.

Fate of Hitler Said Example

OTTAWA, Feb 17 (CP)—Prime Minister St Laurent today offered the fates of Hitler and Mussolini as examples of what might be in store for Soviet totalitarian leaders if they resorted to aggression.

In a speech to the Women's Canadian Club the Prime Minister said fear of totalitarian aggression was behind the efforts of North Atlantic countries to consider a security pact.

"We fear that some day the totalitarian masters of 200,000,000 people might resort to aggression to extend their domination over the rest of us," he said.

If it could be "clearly realized by the Soviets" that if they started a war they would be faced with the combined resources of the North Atlantic countries, "I don't think they'll try it," he said.

Totalitarian leaders would not want to find themselves as Mussolini and Hitler found themselves at the end of their experiment in aggression.

Transit Firm To Probe Fraud Claim

WASHINGTON, Feb 17 (AP)—The officials launched today an investigation into claims that Edmonton transit system tickets are being "bootlegged."

One official said the claim that "5 T S tickets were being sold illegally in Edmonton for five cents apiece came to us as a complete and amazing surprise".

The price of street car and bus tickets here is four for 25 cents or 17 for $1.

A charge that tickets were being sold illegally was made by A. Johnson of the Edmonton Labor Council (C.C.L.).

"I have seen them sold for five cents apiece in handfuls," he stated.

Defence Opens Case in Trial Of "Axis Sally"

WASHINGTON, Feb 17 (AP)—The defence took over today in the "Axis Sally" treason trial to tell its side of the story.

James J. Laughlin, chief defence counsel for 62-year-old Mildred Gillars, indicated the story will be a long one, winding up with Miss Gillars on the witness stand.

The Government wound up its case yesterday, the 16th court day since the trial began January 28.

MAY CALL SOLDIERS

Before today's session began, Laughlin told reporters he hopes to call between 500 and 1,000 former soldiers as defence witnesses.

Laughlin said the testimony of the former soldiers would offset that of Government witnesses who said the movie of American troops was undermined by the wartime activities of Miss Gillars on the German radio, where she was known as "Axis Sally."

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Primitive Locomotion in India

—Central Press Canadian

SOME expeditions penetrate even to India over some pretty fair roads and trip is no more exciting than Sunday spin. This expedition into Nepal, however, decided to explore wild Kerinali Valley, where white men have never been seen by natives, and were therefore forced off beaten track and forced to use primitive locomotive method of transportation. With consulting of three elephants. With equipment and one thing and another, it became rather crowded on board pachyderms. Expedition is officially a exploring serials of Nepal for National Geographic Society, Yale University and Smithsonian Institution.

Says No Light From Sun Exists Past Atmosphere

NEW YORK, Feb 17 (AP)—Under a new theory of light, the space ship starting for the moon won't be able to see it after leaving the earth's atmosphere.

Strange? Still, the ship will no longer be able to, on the sun. This theory says that visible light is not emitted by the sun. The sun's rays are something that turns into light in the atmosphere.

These rays are invisible even after being reflected from the moon, and remain so until they enter the air.

The author of the theory is Horace Winfield Webster of Detroit. He is a research physicist and astronomer, graduated in 1901 from Johns Hopkins, where he majored in geology.

SHORTEST WAVE LENGTH

The rays from the sun he says are gamma radiation, which is the shortest wave length form of light. Gamma rays are identical with the X-rays, and are equally invisible to the eye.

Webster says this gamma ray from atomic corns is the only kind of light the source of which is known with certainty, and he assumes that it is the source of visible light.

When gamma rays pass through certain substances it is a proven fact that they change their wave lengths. Webster says that in his theory this known change proves that in the earth's atmosphere these rays will be altered, becoming longer until they are the wave length that is visible to human eyes. It is an accepted fact of science that the only difference between gamma rays and visible light is length of the waves.

NEED FLUOROSCOPE

The space ship navigator, under Webster's theory, could see the moon by using a fluoroscopic screen to change the gamma rays into visible light. He could see the sun in the same manner.

But if this theory is right, space ship travelers will have to be shielded with plenty of lead. Otherwise the gamma rays in space will kill them.

LONDON Feb 17 (CP) — There are signs that Scandinavian newsprint prices for British buyers are "on the downgrade," the newspaper World Press News reported.

Largest Deficit Since End of War, $31,000,000, Indicated for C.N.R.

OTTAWA, Feb. 17 (CP)—An overall deficit of more than $31,000,000 for the Canadian National Railways in 1948 was indicated in the Board of Transport Commissioners today. It would be the largest since the start of the war.

But as the Government line opened its case for a 20 per cent increase in freight rates, it said the outlook for 1949 was slightly brighter —about $2,000 000 better than last year.

In another development today, the Canadian Pacific Railway completed its case by telling the board that passage of time was boosting the percentage increase that would be needed to overcome its financial "deficiency" of $29,000,000 for this year at current rates.

PERCENTAGE RISING

From 20 per cent at the start of the year, said a C.P.R. commission, it would go to 23 per cent at March 1 and 26 per cent at April 1, because of the shorter period in which it would be effective.

However, the company did not suggest it was hoisting its application to either of those percentages.

The C.N.R. case, aged by rapid-fire presentation by senior counsel Hugh O'Donnell, may be finished in a couple of days unless lengthened by cross-examination.

The sessions which, from January 11 to today, were taken up with C.P.R. evidence, will then switch to the presentation of seven provinces —all except Ontario and Quebec— against the rate increase.

INCOME DOWN

In today's C.N.R. evidence, Assistant Comptroller T. J. Gracey gave 1948 results only to the extent of showing net operating income of $5,064,000 for the rail system alone. This was down about $15,000,000 from 1947.

Assuming that the line's non-rail income remained in the vicinity of $7,000,000 as for the previous two years, Mr. Gracey's rail income figure would be converted into an overall deficit of over $31,000,000 by the $43,000,000-a-year interest charges on the company's loans.

That would be about double the 1947 deficit of $15,886,000 and would be the biggest since prewar years.

For the current year, Mr. Gracey estimated that the net railway operating income would be $7,000,000 on the basis of existing rates.

GROSS REVENUES

The National line's 1948 results, made public for the first time today, were based on gross rail revenues of $423,544,000 — up about $45,000,000 from 1947—and straight railway operating expenses of $438,021,000— up $62,000,000 from the year before.

Deductions for taxes, hire of equipment and rail facilities brought the net railway operating income down to the $5,000,000 figure.

For this year, the C.N.R.'s assistant comptroller forecast operating revenues of $441,160,000. From this Saturday, February 26. Tea was would be deducted $424,414,000 in served by Mrs A Bliss operating expenses plus taxes and the other charges to reduce the net to $7,000,000.

Wheat Talks Near Climax

WASHINGTON, Feb 17 (CP)—The International Wheat Conference, after 23 days of top-secret discussion, is nearing a showdown, informed observers said tonight.

These sources remain optimistic that a world agreement can be written but they say that some concrete progress probably will have to be recorded within the next four or five days if the conference is to proceed toward its goal.

The troublesome price question, although thrust temporarily into the background, apparently still is unsettled.

Exporters—Canada, the United States, Australia and Russia—seek $43 maximum for the proposed five-year pact. Importers want a $1.80 top price.

Extra $13,000 Granted Clinic

OTTAWA, Feb 17 (CP) — The Federal Health Department announced today that an additional $13,000 from the national health grants has been allotted to buy equipment for the new Crease Clinic of Psychological Research and the Provincial Mental Hospital at Essondale, B.C.

At the Crease Clinic the department said the grant will be extended to include a complete eye, ear, nose and throat section. Electrocardiograph equipment will also be obtained for treatment of early schizophrenia.

Plans are also under way to extend the present small film collection at the Essondale hospital to include a wider range of films of psychiatry, neurology, mental health and the basic principals of nursing.

Former President Of Oil Firm Dies

TORONTO Feb 17 (CP)—G Harrison Smith, 69 former president and chairman of the board of Imperial Oil Ltd. died today in Florida it was learned here.

Members were requested to bring donations of clothing and other articles for the rummage sale to be ant comptroller forecast operating held in the Lower Eagles Hall on

SMOKE BARRAGE

Spartans to 400 B. C. used wood smoke as a form of gu warfare.

New Members Join L.A. to F.O.E. 12

Three new members, Mrs. R Thompson, Mrs. I. Earnshaw and Mrs. C. Bellak were initiated at the meeting of the L.A. to the F.O.E. No. 12 held on Tuesday in the Eagles Hall, with Mrs. E. Rose presiding.

Mrs. A. Sauter, junior past president, acted as installing officer, and Mrs. A. Neal was installed as new treasurer.

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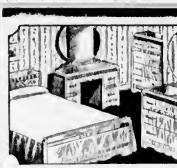

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Canada Missed Price Upheaval By Lifting Controls Gradually

MONTREAL, Feb. 17 (CP)—Gradual lifting of wartime controls coupled with public restraint helped Canada avoid violent price disturbances in the postwar period, Donald Gordon, deputy governor of the Bank of Canada, said here tonight.

In an address prepared for delivery to the Junior Investment Dealers' Association of Canada, the former Prices Board chief said that a large backlog of deferred consumer demand had accumulated at the end of the year.

"Accordingly, wartime controls were lifted gradually and with an eye to heavy competing demands for export and to some extent for domestic investment," he said.

"This course of action, coupled with remarkable patience and restraint on the part of the consuming public, enabled the war-accumulated backlog of demand to be liquidated gradually without the wild upsurge in prices that the extreme and competing demands might well have brought about."

While it could thus be said that all deferred demand had been met, the postwar increase in retail sales seemed to be leveling out.

Exports constituted a fifth of Canada's national output. Consequently she had made a heavy investment in relief, grants, loans and other forms of assistance to countries trying to repair war damage.

"In connection with investment demand one important feature of the market was "the limited availability of risk capital in Canadian securities markets.

STILL COMING IN

"The result that much venture money going into development of Canada's natural resources still came from outside the Dominion, principally the United States.

"There appeared to be "rather restricted financing facilities" in Canada for large-scale financing of residential construction.

Speaking of Government demand, he noted that since the war there had been extensive shifts in holdings of wartime-purchased Government bonds between the different classes of investors.

While the Government had not found it necessary to go to the market in a major way either for cash or for refunding purposes during this adjustment period, "the time is drawing near when such major refunding will have to be undertaken."

Tides at Victoria

FEBRUARY

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The times used in Pacific Standard for Victoria, B.C. Add one hour for Daylight Saving Time. Time from midnight to noon is shown in light face type; from noon to midnight, in bold face type. Heights are given in feet above the average level of the lowest tide of the day. Where there is little or no variation from the average, the figures are omitted.

Prime Minister Provides Target

Central Press Canadian

Louis St. Laurent, Canada's Prime Minister, is target for news reel and still cameramen during visit in Washington. He is host at luncheon for him by President Truman. Prominent diplomatic figures and members of Congress and of President's Cabinet also attended.

Appointment Interests Soviet Press

MOSCOW, Feb. 17 (AP)—General Dwight D. Eisenhower's appointment as chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff is receiving considerable attention from the Soviet press.

Most newspapers published a dispatch credited to a Washington correspondent of The London Observer, saying the appointment was connected with formation of an American general staff to deal with planning military aid to Europe.

It also is being asserted that Eisenhower will devote his attention to the Mediterranean area. A story from Athens was carried under the headline "Coming Arrival of Eisenhower in Greece."

Soviet newspaper commentators are holding back very little in discussions of the United States and Britain at present. The trade union newspaper Trud said today "Anglo-American strategists now are engaged in drafting plans connected with the preparation of aggression against the U.S.S.R. and countries of the new democracy."

Perry to Assist C.P.A. Manager

WINNIPEG, Feb. 17—Vaughan H. Perry is appointed assistant to the general manager of operations for the Canadian Pacific Air Lines, it was announced today by W. G. Fowler, general manager of operations. Mr. Perry, whose new position carries system-wide authority, will have headquarters at Winnipeg

Obtaining Coveted Dollar Exchange Latest Smuggling Plot in Singapore

SINGAPORE, Feb. 17 (AP)—The sharp orators are busily engaged in cricket smuggling of the Orient trying to get around regulations don't try to shrink past Singapore and get their hands on extra dollars customs. They leave that to amateurs.

The sharper fellows figure out ways and means of obtaining coveted dollar exchange through loopholes of the Sterling regulations at this crossroads of Southeast Asia.

Singapore and Malaya are members of the Sterling Group and, as such, restrict imports from hard-currency areas in a realistic attempt to get dollars for rebuilding the war-hit economy.

SEEK EXTRA DOLLARS

But because there is a market here for many restricted United States commodities and because this is a finally healthy city, the East's

It's the dotyled men like T. J. Van Der Graaf, deputy secretary of economic affairs for controls, to see that they don't.

Singapore is a duty-free port, but customs men must guard against importation of restricted materials by evaders of import and export rules. The easiest smugglers to detect are those who use the old-fashioned method of sneaking things in on their person—such as the airline employee who tried to bring in gold and jewelry valued at 800,000 Straits dollars ($238,000 U.S.).

FINANCIAL WIZARDS

The toughest fellows to grab are the financial wizards and brokers. Their methods are usually so complicated that only officials schooled in the ways of the Orient and experts in international economics can hope to detect them. These men are usually bookkeeping wizards and highly-skilled business men who know how to manipulate the all-essential "authority to purchase" certificate.

The simplest method these people employ to get an "A.P." is to apply with a straight face for a purchase of restricted materials, with the fond hope that someone in the Government will slip up and not notice the mistake. If this method fails various persuasive efforts are brought into play, including social and political pressure and even bribery.

The most practised method and the most difficult to detect is misdeclaration of valuation. That gives them a goodly margin of extra dollar exchange with which to play. It also compels customs men to become experts on virtually every kind of goods.

Liberation Bill Given Reading

LONDON, Feb. 17 (Reuters)—The House of Lords today gave formal first reading to a private bill seeking to restore self-government to Newfoundland, which is to be incorporated in Canada. There was no discussion.

As few private members' bills ever become law, the bill introduced by Lord Bemjill was considered a political gesture without great significance. It is called "The Newfoundland Liberation Bill."

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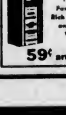

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Addresses Resources Conference Here

More than 1,000,000 acres of cultivated farm land in British Columbia produced approximately $130 an acre in 1948, William McGillivray, director of provincial agricultural development and extension, (above) told 250 delegates to Second Resources Conference yesterday afternoon at Empress Hotel. Dr. G. C. Carl, director, Provincial Museum (seated), was chairman of afternoon session.

B.C. Farm Land Revenue $130 Per Acre

Resources Group Convention Informed

More than 1,000,000 acres of cultivated British Columbia farm land has netted $130 an acre in 1948, William McGillivray, director of provincial agricultural development and extension, told 250 delegates attending the second resources conference at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon.

The two-day conference was opened yesterday morning by Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney.

"Agriculture is an important primary industry in British Columbia despite the fact that only a maximum of 4 per cent of the surface is very likely to become improved land," Mr. McGillivray declared.

"Experts estimate that, on an average, two and a half acres of land are needed to support each person on a full and satisfactory diet.

NOT BETTER

"British Columbia soil is not much better than average," the speaker explained, and, he continued, "it is not surprising to find that British Columbia does not begin to feed herself. Butter, meats, wheat and many other items of diet are imported.

"British Columbia, however, does produce a surplus of tree fruits, small fruits and eggs, and these items are exported. At times the question of exchange makes disposal difficult," Mr. McGillivray said.

Mr McGillivray said much of the potential agricultural land is at present covered with forests and the best use of some of this land will only be known after investigation.

"It is probably correct to say that all of the more easily settled land is alienated," the speaker declared. "A number of acres," he explained, "largely in the Peace River and in Central British Columbia, remain to be developed when population pressure and the need for food makes this desirable."

Rough estimates place this acreage at between four and seven million in addition to the 1,100,000 already under cultivation, Mr McGillivray said.

URBAN PROBLEM

"One of the problems which face agriculture is the steady encroachment of urban development, by which many acres of British Columbia's best land is being lost to agricultural production," Mr McGillivray stated.

Perrie Neave, Provincial Department of Fisheries biologist, second speaker of the afternoon session, read a paper on British Columbia's fishing industry. He was introduced by deputy Fisheries minister, O. J. Alexander.

Mr. Neave pointed out that the value and quantity of the more important fisheries have fluctuated considerably throughout the past few decades.

Total number of people directly connected with industry, he said, is well over 15,000, of whom approximately two-thirds are actually engaged in catching the raw products and the remainder employed in shore plants, Mr Neave explained.

"An increase of population in British Columbia from its present number to three or even 5,000,000 would not enable us to harvest an appreciably greater crop of either salmon or halibut, two of the leaders in the industry."

ANNUAL CATCH

"One hundred and fifty pounds of salmon to each one of our 1,000,000 citizens are produced annually," the speaker said.

The speaker said it should be possible to increase the harvest of shell fish, particularly the oyster and some of the lesser known species such as raffah. Research, he said, has shown that valuable returns could be expected in the near future from various species of seaweed.

Eric Druce, public relations official in the forestry branch said forestry stood predominant as British Columbia's leading primary industry and employed more men and gave greater dollar returns than any other primary industry in the province.

Annual harvest in millions of feet board, he said, were the count region, 3,000, and the Interior, 1[illegible].

Mr. Druce pointed out that the value of best timber resources can be increased by greater refinement of raw materials. Forest products he said, are of far greater value than a similar amount of forest turned into lumber.

WORK DAYS

"The greater the refinement of new material, the greater are the number of man days of work created," Mr Druce declared.

Convener of the two-day conference is the deputy lands minister, George P. Melrose.

D. G. Laird is chairman of the mainland committee, and William Newton of the Vancouver Island committee.

During the morning session, College, London, England, and in 1937 joined the Faculty of the University of Manitoba. In 1946 he returned to the University of British Columbia as a member of the department of English, and in 1948 was appointed head of the department.

He is author of the recently-published book of poetry "Deeper Into the Forest."

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Equimalt Legion Adds Protest To Navy Prize Money Allocation

Official protests against recent proposal of Canadian naval authorities to divert navy "prize money" to benevolent funds are still being voiced by veterans' organizations in Victoria.

Equimalt Branch, No. 172, of the Canadian Legion has unanimously endorsed a resolution to support an earlier resolution of Naval Veterans Branch, No. 43, opposing the action.

Protests have come in the wake of published announcements early this month that the nearly $2,000,000 prize revenue of the Canadian Navy during the World War would be allocated to benevolent funds of the Navy and R.C.A.F.

CUTS TRADITION

Spokesmen for veterans' organizations say the allocation proposal would cut across a tradition of prize money distribution among actual navy men, which has been honored since the 13th century.

Following slate of officers was filled by acclamation at the Equimalt Branch meeting: President John Painewather; second vice-president, K. J. Oldfield; treasurer, F. Fry, and sergeant-at-arms, N. Carson.

Chairmen of committees are T. G. Sewell, finance; J. Cribbins, ways and means; W. N. French, publicity; J. E. Carey, pensions, and sick and R. Waiden, house.

N. O. Carpenter and J. E. Carey were nominated for first vice-president. Election will be held March 1.

Roy Daniells Guest Speaker Of Association

Dr Roy Daniells, head of the department of English at the University of British Columbia, and one

DR. ROY DANIELLS

of Canada's leading poets, will address a Victoria Education association audience Monday, at 8 p.m., in the Victoria Normal School auditorium.

Dr. Daniells attended Victoria High School, and entered the University of British Columbia in 1926. He studied in Toronto and at King's

papers were read by Charles A. Rowles, Professor of Soils U.B.C. on "Soil," and C. E. Webb, district chief engineer, Dominion Water and Power Bureau, on "Water."

Today the first meeting is scheduled for 9 a.m. Deputy Mines Minister J. P. Walker will speak on mining, and William O. Mainwaring, vice-president of the B.C.E.R., will read a paper on "Power."

H. E. Bird, secretary-manager B.C. Automobile Association, is scheduled to speak on "Recreation"; R. H. Oram, supervisor agricultural division, B.C.E.R., will preside.

At the afternoon session, Ian Cowan, professor of Zoology, U.B.C., will speak on "Wild Life," and Harry V. Warren, professor department of geology and geography, U.B.C., will give a conference summarization.

Formation of a permanent organization, and election of officers will be discussed, and the conference will adjourn with a banquet at 7 p.m., at which Dr. Allen L. Hafenrichter, United States Soil Conservation Service, will be guest speaker.

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Officers of Junior I.O.D.E. Chapter Elected

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PICTURED above from left to right are officers of Thunderbird Senadres Junior Chapter, I.O.D.E. Miss Jane Line education-al secretary, Miss Beryl Hammerton, treasurer; Miss June Reinhard, standard-bearer; Mrs. A. R. C. Phipps, regent; Miss Dawn Van Norman, first vice-regent and Miss Josephine Saunders secretary.

At the annual meeting of the Thunderbird Squadron (Junior) Chapter, I.O.D.E., held in the Business and Professional Women's Club-rooms, Sprott Shaw Building, last evening the above officers were re-elected and later in the evening, Miss Valerie Cameron was elected second vice-regent. Miss Pat Fuller, Echoes secretary and Miss Joan Walsh and Miss Beverley Mitchell, councillors.

ACTIVE YEAR

An active year was reported by Miss Josephine Saunders secretary. Seven food parcels valued at $51.84 were sent to England in a war-widow and her six children, and ten Christmas parcels filled and gifts wrapped for Christmas by the members were sent to Princess Elizabeth Children's Hospital in England. Mrs. J. W. Van Norman made the bags which were valued at $13.

Used Christmas cards were forwarded to the Canadian Legion for use by disabled veterans, Miss Saunders reported, and a subscription to "Crescent" magazine was received for the Veterans' Hospital. Used clothing for overseas valued at $25 was turned in to Municipal Chapter. Members assisted with several tag days during the year including the Mayors' fund, Remembrance Poppy Day, Victoria Rose Day and Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Miss Beryl Hammerton, treasurer, reported that a donation of $15 was made to flood relief, $1 to the Endowment Fund and that $37 was realized from a strawberry tea held at the home of Mrs. J. R. Richardson in June. Receipts for the year amounted to $70.51, disbursements $62.46 with a balance on hand of $57.40.

CONTRIBUTES ESSAY

The Echoes secretary, Miss Pat Fuller, contributed a very excellent essay on "The Town of British Columbia" as the chapter's contribution to the Spring issue of Echoes.

Miss June Reinhard, standard-bearer, reported that she carried the standard at the Empire Day service held at the Parliament Buildings, Provincial annual meeting at the Empress Hotel, at the intercession service at St. Saviour's Church and at all the regular meetings of the chapter.

The postwar report read by Miss Van Norman showed that $102.84 had been spent on this work during the year.

Mrs. Phipps, who was elected regent on the resignation of Miss Clarice Brown, told the members that she was honored to guide the chapter and hoped that the time was near for the chapter to become a primary chapter.

Mrs. Rolston To Address Women's Club

At a meeting of the Women's Progressive Conservative Association held at the Y.W.C.A. yesterday afternoon plans were made to hold a luncheon at the Strathcona Hotel on March 10, when Mrs. Tilly J. Rolston, M.L.A., will be the guest speaker.

Miss Rosanna Alexander read a paper on external affairs, and a report of the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women was given by Mrs. E. M. Bell. Miss Lettie Bowron spoke on the last meeting of the United Nations Association.

A discussion took place on organization and various phases of the policy of the Progressive Conservative party and it was decided that study groups should be formed.

Ten new members were welcomed by the president, Mrs. R. D. Harvey, who presided at the meeting.

Drill Team Holds Tea

Pussy willows, daffodils and Valentine motifs created a colorful background for the Valentine Tea sponsored by the Drill Team of the L.A. to the *F.O.E. Aerie No. 13* held on Wednesday afternoon in the Eagles Hall.

Mrs. E. Rose, president, opened the tea after being introduced by Mrs. F. G. Hooker, convener, who also presented Mrs. Rose with a corsage of Talisman carnations.

Mrs. Rose, Mrs. M. Carver, Mrs. H. Wallace and Mrs. E. Cooper assisted at the tea table and serviteurs were Mrs. M. Wyllie, Mrs. E. Brown, Mrs. M. Rose and Mrs. D. Lewis.

Musical entertainment was provided by Miss Jessie Hunt, piano duet and Mrs. J. C. Hooker, vocal solos.

Mrs. A. Biles was in charge of refreshments.

Collect 90 Cups For School Supply

Parkeville P-T.A. recently held a successful Valentine tea and cup and saucer shower in the auditorium with open house at the school. Mrs. E. Trousseau was hostess, and Mrs. J. Washington and Mrs. A. Ruiter presided at the tea urns. Conveners were Mrs. C. Ballard, Mrs. N. Adams, Mrs. A. Kruger, Mrs. K. Dunsmore and Mrs. J. L. Nichols. Girls from the high school assisted with the serving, and the room and tea table were tastefully decorated with Valentine motifs, the centrepiece being a large red heart flanked by flowers and candles in silver holders. Approximately 100 guests attended and 90 cups were added to the school kitchen supply.

Among other activities to be undertaken by the Parkeville P.-T.A. in the near future will be old-time dancing lessons, which they hope to commence this week Mrs. F. J. Robinson is in charge of arrangements for the classes.

P.-T.A. MEETING

LAKE COWICHAN, B.C.—R. Kidston, auxiliary inspector, Nanaimo, was guest speaker at the regular meeting of the Lake Cowichan P.-T.A. held on Monday evening in the High School. Mr. Kidston gave an interesting talk on the Prairie Valley floods.

Mrs. A. Brown, literature convener, reported on two pamphlets which she had received, entitled "Community Attitudes" and "Sex Education."

Re-elected Regent of Royal Roads Chapter I.O.D.E.

MRS. D. E. ALCORN

MRS D. E. Alcorn was re-elected regent of the Royal Roads Chapter, I.O.D.E. at the annual meeting held last evening at the home of Mrs. *J. P. C.* Blowey, 940 Victoria Avenue. A buffet supper was held before the meeting.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Max Zaber, first vice-regent, Mrs. O. Gardiner, second vice-regent, Mrs. J. Rogers, secretary, Mrs. P. Angus, treasurer; Mrs. L. S. McClure, Echoes secretary; Mrs. *J. P. C.* Blowey, educational secretary and Mrs. L. Trahan, standard-bearer.

DONATIONS TO HOME

Mrs. Alcorn gave a brief presidential report and thanked members for their support during the year. In reporting on child and family welfare, Mrs. Alcorn stated contributions had been made to the Juvenile Foster Home including new pyjamas for girls, valued at $8.50, and clothing valued at $17. The chapter also outfitted new and used clothing, valued at $124.40, for a family who lost all their belongings in a fire.

The report prepared by Mrs. *V. K.* Shepherd, ex-service personnel convener, was read by Mrs. Alcorn, and showed that regular visits had been made to veterans at the D.V.A. hospital with treats, magazines and cards distributed. One veteran was remembered each month and a gift presented to him at Christmas and on his birthday.

PARCELS TO ENGLAND

Parcels had been packed and sent regularly to three families in England, Mrs. Max Zabel stated in her secretary's report.

Money was raised by a series of bridges held at members' homes, a Valentine social, a Fall bazaar and by selling tickets for Fashions Unlimited A bridge and tea was also held to raise funds.

CASH DONATIONS

Cash donations were made to the endowment fund, secondary education, Jessie M. Hott Home Fund and food and clothing were given to the British Columbia Protestant Orphanage, and the Salvation Army.

Mrs. P. Angus, in presenting the treasurer's report showed that total receipts during the year were $407.86 and disbursements were $358.96.

The postwar women's report, presented by Mrs. *J. P. C.* Blowey showed that $171.15 had been spent on food parcels and that 65 knitted and sewn articles valued at $43.35, nine quilts, valued at $18, 34 toy animals, valued at $8.40, had been made and turned in by the chapter. Seven parcels of used clothing valued at $13 were also turned in.

The Empire study report was given by Mrs. H. McIntyre.

Mrs. J. L. Pred, Municipal Chapter regent, and Mrs. F. E. Dewdall, Municipal organizing secretary, were special guests and were presented with corsages. Mrs. Alcorn also received a corsage.

New members welcomed by the chapter included Mrs. O. Oyr and Mrs. Pfrih.

Social and Personal

Honoring Miss Leonora P. Poole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Poole, Maple Bay, whose marriage will take place shortly, Misses Pamela Ferguson, Margaret Gibson and Phillippa Cooke were co-hostesses at a kitchen shower at the home of Mrs. J. B. Gibson, Maple Bay, on Monday evening. A corsage of pale pink carnations was presented to Miss Poole, followed by the opening of many attractive gifts held in a large, red, heart-shaped box made by Miss Cooke. The evening was spent in singing, playing games and a reading of a Robert Service poem by Mrs. Poole. Among guests who attended were Mrs. Poole, mother of the guest of honor; Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. T. Goodell, Mrs. C. St. L. Ferguson, Mrs. A. Bazett, Mrs. C. Bruce, Mrs. A. D. Taylor, Mrs. F. Sunderland, Mrs. A. Larkin, Mrs. R. M. Lendrum, Mrs. J. Dunlop, Mrs. D. Garbutt, Mrs. N. Bomford, Mrs. E. U. Brouillet, Mrs. F. F. Porter and Miss E. Hughes.

Also with Miss Poole as guest of honor a miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. A. D. Taylor, Bird's Eye Cove, recently with Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. T. Goodell as hostesses. Many lovely gifts were presented in a round container covered with crepe paper in spring flower shades. Guests invited were Mrs. S. D. Taylor, Mrs. A. Mackay, Mrs. B. Mulliner, Mrs. O. Simpson, Mrs. J. Davidge, Mrs. A. Bazett, Mrs. M. Scott, Mrs. J. B. Gibson, Mrs. J. Members of Xi Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, entertained their Xi sisters at a Valentine party on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Gladys Rough. Games were played under the direction of Barbara Brown, prizes being won by Norma Taylk, Olive Kirchin, Rita Rogers and Mary Anne Phillipson.

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Miss Doris Bolshow, bride-elect of this month, was guest of honor at a shower given at the home of Miss Ellen Sommerville Carrying out the Valentine theme, a red carnation corsage was presented to the bride-to-be. The useful gifts were concealed in a trimmed clothes hamper, also a gift. The guests, all grade-two class of 1941 of St. Joseph's School of Nursing and classmates of Miss Bolshow, were Misses Joan Bowden, Margaret Burns, Laura Prater, Lorraine Field, Jane Graham, Lorena Linaham, Elsie McKilligan, Alice Kinahan, Nora Kane, Patricia Tay-lor, and Yvonne Willie.

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The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Mayell, of Topaz Apartments, received the names of Brown William, at a christening ceremony in St. John's Church on Sunday afternoon, Rev. George Biddle officiated at the ceremony. The godparents were Miss Mina White, aunt, and Ronald Hough. The baby wore the two-hundred-year-old family christening robe, and was the sixth generation to wear it on such an occasion. After the ceremony, afternoon tea was served at the home of the baby's paternal grandmother, Mrs. Edith Mayell, where the tea table was centered by a dainty christening cake. Miss Mina White presided at the tea table.

P.-T.A. Sponsors Variety Concert

A variety concert, held under the auspices of Margaret Jenkins P.-T.A. and convened by Mrs. G. Potts, was given in the school auditorium on Monday evening.

A variety program was presented in a capacity audience. Those taking part were Maxine Errington, Judy Hayhoe, Maurice Squires, Marilyn McElmoyle, Jane Hardie Barbara Wallace, Carry Bevan, Daryl Howard, David Brown, Terry Purcott, Cary Small, Mitchell Hodge, Alfred Weatherall, Keith Murray, and Frank Graham.

Others were Grace, Chamberlain, Catherine McElmoyle, Josephine Lindsay, Maureen Carey, Suzanne McElmoyle, Muriel Vaughan-Smith, Ruth Thornden, George Cummings, Sheila Hardie, Jack Easter, Shirley Chandler, Leona Wilkinson, Harold Robinson, Patricia Potts, Diane Whitehead, Jane Hardie and Margaret Beard.

Shirley Anne Turner, Charlene Hammon, Susan Lewis, Leona Williamson, Margaret Ready, Carolyn Anderson, Roberta Hammon, Diane Tippet, Lorna Stuart, Elaine McBride, Judy Potts, Valerie Nicholls, Judy Mangin, Bill Martell.

Miss Lorraine Strand and Mr. W. H. Money assisted as accompanists.

Uchuelet Home For Newlyweds

KNOX Presbyterian Church, Sooke, was the scene of a pretty wedding on February 12, when Hilda Richardson, B.H., daughter of Mrs. J. Richardson of Sooke and the late Mr. Y. Richardson became the bride of Mr. Andrew N. Rytersgaard of Uchuelet, B.C., formerly of Denmark. Rev. E. O. Thomson, assisted by Rev. P. Wills, officiated.

The bride given in marriage by her brother, A. Y. Rinjardson of Duncan, B.C., wore an afternoon dress of turquoise gabardine with bracelet length sleeves, and full skirt. She wore black accessories and a gold locket, the gift of the groom, and a corsage of pink roses-buds and carnations and freesias.

Miss Doreen Pendray of Victoria, attended the bride wearing a two-piece pale blue gabardine dress with black accessories and corsage of pink rosebuds and carnations.

Mr. Jack Richardson, brother of the bride, was best man.

Mr. G. Gamble was organist and Miss Jean Wood sang "A Wedding Prayer" while the register was being signed.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's mother where Mr. Wills proposed the toast to the bride. The bride's table was centred with a three-tier wedding cake topped with freesias.

Mr. and Mrs. Rytersgaard left by plane for Vancouver, the bride travelling in a cherry red topcoat with black trim over her wedding dress. On their return they will reside at Uchuelet.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. McTighe To Reside at Fulford Harbor

A pretty wedding was solemnized on Sunday, February 6, at St. Paul's Church, Fulford Harbor, when Mary Margaret Akerman, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Akerman, Burgoyne Valley, was united in marriage with Mr. Maurice McTighe, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. McTighe of Red Deer, Alta.

Rev. Father Lacviers officiated and Mrs. A. J. McDonald played the wedding music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was lovely in a floor length gown of powder blue crepe trimmed with silver beading with matching shoulder length veil. She carried a colonial bouquet of pale pink rosebuds, freesias and maidenhair fern.

The bride was attended by her four sisters Sheila Carlin in pale yellow nylon, Diana Carlin in rose taffeta, Darlene Akerman in white taffeta and Clare Harris in blue taffeta. They wore headdresses to match their dresses and carried colonial bouquets of pink carnations and white freesias.

Mr. R. Alexander was best man and the ushers were Mr. Pat and Mr. Charles Stanton.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at Fulford Hall at which more than 150 guests were present. Mr. Arthur Humphrey proposed the toast to the bride.

For a honeymoon trip to Vancouver the bride wore a black dress topped with a dark green wool coat and matching accessories.

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Models Present Montreal Benefit Show

MODEL for benefit— Among those who modelled at benefit fashion show held in Montreal recently by Laurentian Chapter 320 Royal British Women, were the above. At left, Joan Walker in navy blue check tea-dress tailored suit by Schreter with navy velvet collar, double breasted cutaway jacket and straight skirt. Centre, Essie Mayoff in rock crystal aquamarine of brocaded taffeta with mould-fitted full skirt and black velvet trim to accent. At right, a group including Joy Gilmour's Right, single breasted suit with striped navy blue and white removable collar and cuffs, featuring new strap-in-back of jacket. Spring hats by Juliette enhanced the ensembles.

University Women's Club Hears Talk on French Music

Dr. Harold Hickman, assistant professor of French at Victoria College, gave an interesting talk on French music with slide illustrations at a meeting of the University Women's Club on Wednesday evening at Liberal Headquarters.

Dr. Hickman spoke mainly on the music of the 19th century, a productive period when musical revival, experimentation and invention led also to the flourishing of poetry and painting.

Mrs. Kenneth Wright, president, thanked Dr. Hickman for his interesting and cultural address.

At the business session earlier the members passed a resolution urging the Federal Government to renew its grant to the International Children's Emergency Fund.

Another resolution was passed requesting that pressure be brought on the U.S.S.R. to remove barriers now preventing Russian wives of other nationals from leaving the Soviet to rejoin their husbands.

COMBAT CRIME COMICS

Mrs. T. W. A. Gray was elected to convene a committee to study means of increasing "wholesome recreational reading" for school children as a positive measure toward combatting crime comics. Miss Margaret Clay and Miss Marion James were named consultants to the committee.

Members voted the sum of $74, profits from the play "Quiet Week-End," which the club sponsored, to be used to assist an adopted fellow university woman in a displaced persons camp.

Those appointed nominating committee for the annual meeting are Mrs. J. W. Pitts, chairman; Miss Margaret Crummy, Mrs. H. B. Turner, Miss Ellen Hart, Mrs. Herbert Booth and Mrs. C. E. E. Harris.

Refreshments were served by Miss Muriel Julinett and her committee.

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Plan Spring Tea

COLWOOD, Feb. 17—Members of Colwood Women's Institute made plans for their annual Spring Flower tea in Colwood Community Hall on April 26, when they met in the Institute room of the hall yesterday afternoon. The affair will include a sale of cuttings and plants and exhibition of home cooking.

Letters of thanks for donations were read from the Colwood Volunteer Fire Brigade and the W.I. Memorial Fund. A letter from the Longierens, Gloucester, England, W.I. was also read, expressing appreciation for the Christmas parcels sent from the Colwood branch.

Guest speaker was Mrs. J. Rose, past president of the Provincial Board of Women's Institutes of Manitoba, who spoke on the work of Women's Institutes in that province.

Mrs. J. W. Little and Mrs. E. Shields served tea.

Y.W.C.A. Program

After a successful annual meeting clubs will resume regular meeting schedules next week at the Y.W.C.A. Following is a program of the meetings:

February 19—The Blue Triangle Club regular dance will commence at 9 p.m. in the recreation room. Dancing from 8 to 12 p.m.

February 20—The Co-Ed Club will meet at 8 p.m. to continue their discussions. Supper will be served at 5.30 and the club will attend divine worship at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church in the evening.

February 21—Senior Business Girls will meet in the small club-room at 6 p.m. for a pot-luck supper. Business meeting will follow.

February 22—Sub-Deb Club will meet in the small clubroom at 7.30 p.m.

February 23—The Glee Club will meet in the recreation room at 8.30 p.m.

February 24—Overseas Wives Club will meet in the large clubroom at 8 p.m. for an evening of knitting and sewing.

February 26—Chatelaine Club meets in the small clubroom at 8 p.m.

February 26—Ex-R.A.F. Club will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Al Jagger. Information will be mailed to club members.

The Inter-Club Council meeting will be held on the small shuffleboard on February 28 at 7.30 p.m. Blue Triangle Club will be responsible for the worship service for this meeting. Will club presidents please see that there is adequate representation from their club.

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Clubs and Societies

The Victoria Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet on Monday at 8 p.m., at headquarters. Nominations will be held.

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The Metropolitan Y.P.U. met on Tuesday with Miss Pat Parrett in the chair. The cultural program was conducted by Miss Jean Forsyth.

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St. John Ambulance Brigade W.A. will meet on Tuesday at 2.30 in the auditorium when the guest speaker will be Mrs. R. G. Taylor.

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A rummage sale will be held by members of Xi Beta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, at the market on Saturday, with proceeds for charitable purposes.

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W.B.A. Review No. 1 will meet in the K. of P. Hall, Cormorant Street, on Monday at 7.30 p.m. A card party with refreshments will be held after the meeting.

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The Daughters of St. George Lodge No. 238, will hold a social meeting at 7.30 p.m. in the K. of P. Hall (upper room), on Friday. Games and cards will commence at 8 p.m.

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At a recent meeting of the Guild of St. Barnabas' Church, arrangements were made, with the co-operation of the W.A., to hold a rummage sale in the church hall, corner of Cook Street and Caledonia Avenue, at 2.30 a.m., Saturday, March 2. Those interested in sending clothing overseas will find many useful articles.

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Mrs. G. Harris presided at the recent meeting of North Ward P.-T.A., when Miss G. Gaillard gave an interesting talk on her experience as an exchange teacher in England. Miss A. Prescott demonstrated the usefulness of the new opaque projector recently purchased for the school. Refreshments, donated by the Quadra primary teachers, were served.

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Miss Mildred Blakely will be guest speaker at the meeting of the Metropolitan Church W.M.S. on Monday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The president, Mrs. F. R. Bewell, will preside, and the members of First United Church W.M.S. will be guests. Mrs. H. T. Cromie will conduct devotions and Mrs. H. H. Nash will be soloist. Miss Blakely, who has been a resident of the city for some months, was tired of a girls' training school in Manila and, during the war, was in an internment camp for more than three years.

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Before the weekly meeting of Christ Church Cathedral A.Y.P.A. practice for the Spring presentation was held. There will be a practice on Sunday at 4 p.m. and another on Wednesday at 8 p.m. All members are urged to attend. During the meeting an appeal was made for furnishings for Camp Columbia. Arrangements will be made to pick up articles in, about a month's time. After the meeting a "Know Your A.Y.P.A." program was held. Mavis Chisholm, Bill Allen, Betty Irvine and Margaret Allen gave short talks on the history and different phases of A.Y. work.

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"Happiness Through Understanding of Literature" was the theme of the cultural program conducted by Mrs. Mary Yeowen at the meeting of Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, held in the library at Prince Robert House on Monday evening. Others assisting on the program were Miss Peggy Dykes, Mrs. Evelyn Oakley, Miss Gladys Perry and Miss Betty Prangnell. Mrs. Isabella Helander reviewed the book, "New Song in a Strange Land," Mrs. Margaret Skinney reviewed "Born in Paradise," and Mrs. Phyllis Simpson reviewed "Forsythe Saga." Prior to the cultural program a business meeting was held with Mrs. Grace Waters presiding. A letter from the chapter's director, Mrs. Maude Hammond, who is visiting the headquarters of Beta Sigma Phi in Kansas City, was read. Mrs. Evelyn Oakley was named chairman of the nominating committee. Plans were made to hold a party in March. It was announced that the examination for pledges will be held on March 28 at the Douglas Hotel. The next meeting will be held on February 29 at Prince Robert House.

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Bigger Herring Catch Result of Weather

Marine News

Better weather conditions along the lower British Columbia coast have resulted in a boost in herring catch over the past week, and the total catch to date this season is now 154,212 tons, compared with 150,560 for the corresponding period last year.

A large number of boats have been fishing in Kwakiutl Strait, which separates Hecate and Calvert Islands. This area is in the central sub-districts which is under a quota of 40,000 tons. It is understood are filled, this is expected to be a conveniently located to reduction plants than Edye Pass, where the herring fleet was operating for the previous week.

Tests taken showed a good percentage of oil with 11 gallons to the ton.

If the fish in Kwakiutl Pass hold out, and the northern areas' quotas record season, exceeding last year's unprecedented total of 160,000 tons. More than 23,300 tons of herring have been packed to date.

Build Biggest Tanker

Canada's first "supertanker," largest oil carrier ever to operate under Canadian registry, is expected to join the Imperial Oil Shipping Co. Ltd. fleet in May, it was announced yesterday.

Now under construction, the ship will be equal to size and speed to the finest tankers in the world. It will have a deadweight tonnage of 26,000 a capacity of 1,000,000 gallons and a speed of 16 knots. Cost of the vessel will be approximately $5,250,000.

The new tanker will be christened Imperial Alberta by Mrs. F. C. Manning, wife of Alberta's premier, when the hull is launched early in April. The ship is being built at Chester, Pennsylvania. Named "superlatives," this type of craft is destined to carry oil more economically than any other ship now in service.

The tankers are 620 feet overall, 80½ feet in breadth and more than 40 feet deep.

Imperial Alberta will probably go into the Persian Gulf trade, and in time may make calls at Halifax. The ship will carry a crew of 46. The vessel will be modern in every respect, and will bring to ten the total number of ocean-going ships operated by the firm.

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PANAMAX "FIRST"

A postwar "first" was marked yesterday when a Donaldson Line ship re sailed at Seattle before coming to Victoria, according to R. N. B. Cumberbirch, agent for the line here.

The Sir Gerela was due at Seattle yesterday, and will be at Capital Pulp docks tomorrow. Ships of the line have made this city their first port of call at this side since the war. At this port the ship will unload about 50 tons of general cargo, and then proceed to Vancouver.

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MORE FISH

Stocks of frozen fishery products held in cold storage warehouses of the United States and Alaska at the start of this month totaled 127,411,000 pounds, more than 19,000,000 pounds over the same period of last year.

Officials of the United States Fish and Wildlife Service report the frozen holdings included 4,093,000 pounds of salmon of all species, and 8,813,000 pounds of halibut.

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OVERHAUL

Sir Princess Elizabeth of the CPR's B.C. Coast Steamship Service's ever Government drydock Monday for annual overhaul, reports H. S. Nannull, general manager at Victoria Machinery Depot Co. Ltd. It is expected the vessel will be in the basin three or four days. Work will include hull painting below the water line.

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MORE SHRIMP

The imports of shrimp from Mexico in the United States last year broke all previous records with a total of 21,477,480 pounds, or more than 1,000,000 pounds greater than shipments of 1947, reports the United States Fish and Wildlife Service.

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Members of the Victoria Natural History Society, at a recent meeting in the Provincial Museum, had under discussion examining a decomposing fish — the rare "King of the Salmon."

The fish was found washed up on Willows Beach by R. R. Stoney of Beacon Street.

Ribbon-like in shape, the fish measured five feet six inches. Mantis been of the species, it is reported, have probably been mistaken for legendary sea-serpents. Indian legends claim the fish leads salmon in their annual migration. The "King of the Salmon," however, in no way resembles any of the salmon species.

The ribbon-shaped fish is seldom seen, and for this reason is believed to be a deepsea fish, according to Dr. Clifford Carl, museum director. Only five or six of them have been found in this area over many years. One was caught by a trolley in 1943.

Piping Oxygen To Patients May Save Lives

CLEVELAND, Feb. 16 (NANA)—Oxygen will be piped to all patients' rooms at university hospitals here and thus eliminate cumbersome tanks, Dr. William B. Seymour, director, announced this week.

The new system will be especially valuable in emergency cases where its shorter time factor will mean the saving of lives. In a matter of seconds it will be possible to administer oxygen by snapping a mask on the patient's face and connecting it to a wall outlet. Great benefits are expected of the system particularly in the case of premature infants who frequently need extra oxygen.

The substance will be stored in liquid form outside of the hospital's and thence up to the rooms. It will be converted to gaseous form by application of heat. Installation, to begin in about two weeks, will cost from $20,000 to $40,000.

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Service Tax on All City Residents Suggested Mill Boost Alternative

The Property Owners' Association passion and "direct contact with City Hall committees.

of Greater Victoria has launched an organized move against "marked inefficiency in civic administration."

At last night's meeting the two month's old group outlined an ambitious program of organization, ex-

Immediate concern of the organization, according to officials is implementation of a service tax, which would be an acceptable alternative to an increase in the mill rate.

Property Owners say they are bearing more than our share" of costs of civic improvements and services, which are "enjoyed by property owner and non-owner alike."

CITES VANCOUVER

Secretary A. de Mazzy told the membership last night that Vancouver Property Owners' Association had been successful in bringing consideration of the service tax to the attention of a special committee of Vancouver City Council.

Passed at last night's meeting were a number of resolutions which the local association intends to bring to the attention of city and municipal councils here both by letter and in committee.

Association officials explained last night that by "service" tax they mean one which will fall on "every citizen," non-owners as well as those with property.

RESOLUTIONS

In these, the association is asking that city and municipal governments:

1. Consider a service tax to cover cost of administration and to finance civic "projects" rather than by increase in the mill rate.

2. Study the transportation system with a view to improving present "inadequate and dangerous" service.

3. Revise present municipal voting system so that citizens have reader access to polls. The resolution asks for more polling stations and blames present set-up for Victoria's "notoriously small vote."

Criticism was also voiced at the meeting of proposals for new public buildings in the city.

"We're getting a Memorial Arena already," one member stated, "now they're lining up a 'memorial city hall' and a 'memorial police station.'"

Report Favoring Parachutes For Airlines Said Suppressed

WARRINGTON, Feb. 16 (NANA)—The civil aeronautics by the commercial airlines

Prepared by government experts the report shows that several hundred lives could have been saved in air crashes the last few years if airliners had been equipped with parachutes.

The report cites as a specific instance the disastrous crash of the giant DC-4 at Bruce Canyon, Utah, last year. All on board were killed. The report states that many lives could have been saved if parachutes had been available.

The report also reveals that President Truman's plane is equipped with parachutes for all passengers and crew members.

AIRLINE PRESSURE

The CAB's failure to make this report public is attributed to airline pressure. The airlines long have resisted efforts to equip their planes with parachutes. This opposition is based on the contention that parachutes would have an adverse "psychological effect" on air travelers.

United States law has long required all vessels to carry lifebelts and other rescue equipment for passengers and crew. There is no known instance of these safeguards having a bad "psychological effect."

If the CAB does not release the report, a demand for its publication may be made by the house interstate commerce committee. Members of the committee know of will be added, he said.

Lauds Grant To U.B.C. For Gymnasium

Frank J. E. Turner, secretary-manager Victoria branch, University of British Columbia Alumni Association, hailed announcement in the Legislature Wednesday that $200,000 of the Provincial Government's grant to U.B.C. would go towards the Memorial Gymnasium fund.

Mr. Turner is in the city to confer with William Veitch and Dr. David Turner regarding the association's revitalization program.

A program was launched last month to stimulate interest of the university alumni and to set up an alumni giving program to replace the assessment of fees for members, he explained.

"With the knowledge that the Government is behind us, the Alumni group and the students who have worked so hard to get enough money to build the Memorial Gymnasium, will see their efforts rewarded," Mr. Turner declared.

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Victoria citizens may have to eat breakfast "every second morning," egg dealers said yesterday.

Shipments reaching the market here are only about half the quantity coming in at this time last year, they stated.

Many Island chicken farms have gone out of business because of the high price of feed," it was explained. Shortages have forced dealers here to "import" eggs from the Mainland during the past five or six months. Formerly, dealers stated, Vancouver Island produced practically all the eggs needed locally, except for a short period each Autumn.

NO CHANGE

No change in present price is looked for in the near future.

Plenty of oranges are available at the present time, fruit and vegetable wholesalers say.

But there will be no more Texas grapefruit for some time. Crops city suffered heavy damage recently during freezing weather. Shipments of Florida grapefruit around March 1 will ease the situation here, dealers believe.

SICILIAN LEMONS

First shipments of Sicilian lemons this year arrived yesterday. They are said to be of extra good quality.

One car of bananas also arrived yesterday—ahead of schedule. Dealers said the bananas would not be ready for market, until next week, but that regular weekly shipments are expected "from now on."

A rainfall of California celery also arrived this week, dealers state. Poor weather conditions in the Imperial Valley are blamed by

"A week or two of good weather could bring the price down quickly," they said.

Airflown spinach from California is arriving daily for the local market.

Another "first" this week was the arrival of a carload of Ontario onions. The Eastern shipment is reported to be selling at $14 a ton less than Island onions. The price difference corresponds closely with the $14 a ton dumping duty imposed on U.S. onions.

Macintosh apples are reported just about off the market for this season, but local pie makers can take heart from the fact that daily shipments of rhubarb are arriving from Fraser Valley.

Red-Wetting—Enuresis

By DR. J. B. WARREN

White most children grow out of the habit of bed-wetting at an early age, there are others in which it persists into the teens. As it is unnecessary to the children themselves and to the parents there are some simple rules that help most cases such as to: no liquids after the evening meal; no child made to pass urine before going to bed and (c) parents must arouse the child at bedtime and have him walk to the bathroom.

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Finance—Commerce—Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 17 (AP).—Buying interest in stocks sharpened, and the market moved ahead for the scrappiest overall advance in six weeks. Individual issues were marked up fractions to a top of around two points. Most additions, though, were a point or less.

DOW JONES AVERAGES

	Thursday	Wednesday
Thirty industrials, 174.82, up 1.54		
Twenty rails, 49.66, up .18		
Fifteen utilities, 34.55, up .14		
Sixty-five stocks, 83.31, up .64		
Total sales, 960,000		

(B. A. Banker, Ltd.)

	Close	Change
Allied Chemical	170	Unch.
American Can	97	Unch.
American Locomotive	16	Unch.
American Smelter	46	Unch.
American Tel.	151	Unch.
American Tobacco	67	Unch.
Anaconda Copper	30¼	Unch.
Atchison	87¼	Unch.
Baltimore & Ohio	11¾	Unch.
Bethlehem Steel	57¼	Unch.
Borg Warner	31¾	Unch.
Canadian Pacific	13¾	Unch.
C. & O. Railway	35¾	Unch.
Chrysler	63¼	Unch.
Coca-Cola	131	Unch.
Com. & Southern	2¾	Unch.
Consolidated Edison	25¾	Unch.
Continental Oil	37¾	Unch.
Curtiss-Wright	6¾	Unch.
Douglas Aircraft	49¾	Unch.
Du Pont	169¾	Unch.
Eastman Kodak	73¾	Unch.
Electric Boat	23¾	Unch.
Erie R.R.	9¾	Unch.
General Electric	36¾	Unch.
General Foods	36¾	Unch.
General Motors	57¾	Unch.
Goodrich	61¾	Unch.
Goodyear	31¾	Unch.
Great Northern pfd.	51¾	Unch.
Greyhound	14¾	Unch.
Hudson Motor	15¾	Unch.
Int. Harvester	30¾	Unch.
Int. Nickel	34¾	Unch.
Int. Paper	69¾	Unch.
Johns-Manville	57¾	Unch.
Kennecott	49¾	Unch.
Lehigh Valley	5¾	Unch.
Loew's	15¾	Unch.
Montgomery Ward	49¾	Unch.
Nash-Kelvinator	10¾	Unch.
National Biscuit	25¾	Unch.
National Cash Register	20¾	Unch.
National Dairy	29¾	Unch.
New York Central	15¾	Unch.
North American	20¾	Unch.
Northern Pacific	23¾	Unch.
Packard	4¾	Unch.
Pan American Airways	10¾	Unch.
Penney (J. C.)	69¾	Unch.
Pennsylvania R.R.	16¾	Unch.
Pepsi-Cola	15¾	Unch.
Phillips Petroleum	43¾	Unch.
Pullman	36¾	Unch.
Pure Oil	39¾	Unch.
Radio Corporation	13¾	Unch.
Republic Steel	30¾	Unch.
Reynolds Tobacco	36¾	Unch.
Sears Roebuck	43¾	Unch.
Shell Union	22¾	Unch.
Socony-Vacuum	13¾	Unch.
Southern Pacific	30¾	Unch.
Southern Railway	22¾	Unch.
Standard Brands	7¾	Unch.
Standard Oil (Calif.)	44¾	Unch.
Standard Oil (Ind.)	53¾	Unch.
Standard Oil (N.J.)	67¾	Unch.
Studebaker	24¾	Unch.
Texas Corporation	43¾	Unch.
Texas Gulf Sulphur	30¾	Unch.
Timken Roller	36¾	Unch.
Union Carbide	78¾	Unch.
Union Oil	30¾	Unch.
Union Pacific	69¾	Unch.
United Aircraft	24¾	Unch.
United Corporation	4¾	Unch.
U. S. Industrial Alcohol	36¾	Unch.
U. S. Rubber	36¾	Unch.
U. S. Steel	36¾	Unch.
Westinghouse Electric	36¾	Unch.
Woolworth	36¾	Unch.

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO, Feb. 17 (AP). — A renewal of selling pressure in soybeans created an easy undertone in all commodities on the Board of Trade. Soybeans fell several cents at times in a nervous trade. Grains held fairly steady most of the session, but started to slip toward the close in line with the soybean downturn.

(B. A. Winther, Ltd.)

	Wheat—	Corn—	Oats—	Barley—	Rye—
Mar.	187¾	144¾	88¼	131¼	150¾
July	183¾	146¾	86¼	128¼	148¾
Sept.	178¾	147¾	85¾	126¾	147¾
Dec.	176	149¾	86¾	126¾	147¾
	Durum—				
Mar.	188¾	183¾	180¾	180¾	180¾
July	178¾	178¾	178¾	178¾	178¾
Sept.	178¾	178¾	178¾	178¾	178¾
Dec.	178¾	178¾	178¾	178¾	178¾
	Oats—				
Mar.	88¾	88¾	88¾	88¾	
July	86¼	86¾	86¾	86¾	
Sept.	85¾	86¾	86¾	86¾	
Dec.	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾	

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Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, Feb. 17 (CP).—Industrials climbed steadily upward on gains ranging from fractions to a point on the Toronto Stock Exchange today. Trading was slow, but tended to increase late in the session as a wider list of issues chalked up gains. Base metals and Western oils brightened on scattered advances, and golds firmed from early weakness.

MINING SECTION

(Grant Stevenson, Ch. Lee)

	High	Low	Close	Change
Ashdown	22	22	22	Unch.
Anglo-Huronian	22	22	22	Unch.
Argentite	14½	14½	14½	Unch.
Bankfield	24½	24	24½	Unch.
Barvallee	8	8	8	Unch.
Base Metals	32	32	32	Unch.
Bibis	8½	8½	8½	Unch.
Bidgood			8	Unch.
Bidgood Kirkland			6	Unch.
Bonetal			4	Unch.
Bonnie			4	Unch.
Boymar	8½	8½	8½	Unch.
Buffalo Ankerite	24	24	24	Unch.
Bullion Ant.	340	340	340	Unch.
Bunker Hill			2	Unch.
Calder			4	Unch.
Calder Bousquet	8½	8½	8½	Unch.
Calder Muscocho	5	5	5	Unch.
Canada Malartic	75	75	75	Unch.
Canadian Collieries			4	Unch.
Cedar Treed			4	Unch.
Central Patricia			4	Unch.
Centremaque Mines	340	337	340	Unch.
Chesterville			2	Unch.
Chibougamau Jaculet			2	Unch.
Coniaurum M. & S.			2	Unch.
Consolidated Beattie	100½	100½	100½	Unch.
Consolidated Mining			2	Unch.
Consolidated Peninsula	120	120	120	Unch.
Corbit			41	Unch.
Cosmos			2	Unch.
Cresta			2	Unch.
Crestaurum	87	87	87	Unch.
Davies-Rochette			2	Unch.
Dickenson			2	Unch.
Dome Mines	19	18½	19	Unch.
Duvex			2	Unch.
Eldona	87	87	87	Unch.
Falconbridge			2	Unch.
Fenimore	70	70	70	Unch.
Fleetwood			2	Unch.
Fleetwood Lake	165	162	162	Unch.
Fleetwood Lake	160	156	156	Unch.
Lakeshore			2	Unch.
Lamaque Gold			2	Unch.
Lapaska			2	Unch.
Laurian Lake			2	Unch.
Lebel Oro			2	Unch.
Leduc			2	Unch.
Lexindin Gold			2	Unch.
Little Long Lac			2	Unch.
Macassa			2	Unch.
Macdonald			2	Unch.
Mackeno Lake			2	Unch.
Madsen Red Lake	772	772	772	Unch.
Magnet			2	Unch.
Malga Mines			2	Unch.
Malartic Gold Fields			2	Unch.
McWatters			2	Unch.
Merrill			2	Unch.
Merrill Consolidated			2	Unch.
Minaria			2	Unch.
Mining Corp.			2	Unch.
Moneta			2	Unch.
Murphy			2	Unch.
Newbec	660	330	330	Unch.
Normetal	175	175	175	Unch.
Norpick			2	Unch.
Obaska			2	Unch.
Orenada			2	Unch.
Pamour	195	195	195	Unch.
Paymaster			2	Unch.
Pend Oreille			2	Unch.
Perron Gold			2	Unch.
Pickle Crow	330	310	310	Unch.
Pioneer			2	Unch.
Preston East Dome			2	Unch.
Quemont			2	Unch.
Quemont	18½	18	18	Unch.
Rea Gold			2	Unch.
Rea Arrowsmith	410	410	410	Unch.
Red Poplar	16	16	16	Unch.
Reno Gold	314	314	314	Unch.
Rexspar			2	Unch.
Rowna			2	Unch.
Sand River			2	Unch.
Sarnia			2	Unch.
Sherritt Gordon	191	190	190	Unch.
Shiningtree S.	186	186	186	Unch.
Siscoe			2	Unch.
Sladen Malartic			2	Unch.
Teck-Hughes			2	Unch.
Upper Canada			2	Unch.
Ventures			2	Unch.
Vipond Consol.	18½	18½	18½	Unch.
Wasamac	21½	21½	21½	Unch.
Wasa Lake			2	Unch.

(Logan Investments, Ltd.)

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

	High	Low	Close	Change
Acheson	30¾	30¾	30¾	Unch.
Acadia Atl. Sugar 'A'	11¾	11¾	11¾	Unch.
Anglo-Can. Pulp	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Asbestos	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
B.A. Oil	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Bell Telephone	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Brazilian Traction	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Bread	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Car & Foundry	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Car & Foundry 'A'	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Canners	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Cement	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Cement pfd.	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Celanese	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Celanese pfd.	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Dredge	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Locomotive	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Oil Companies	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Packers	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Vickers	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Western Lbr.	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Wire & Cable	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Wire & Cable 'B'	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Canada Cement	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Canadian Dredge & Dock	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Canadian Steamships	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Canadian Vickers	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Canners 'B'	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Canners pfd.	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Celanese	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Celanese pfd.	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Can. Dredge	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
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Canadian Dredge & Dock	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Canadian Steamships	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.
Canadian Vickers	41¾	41¾	41¾	Unch.

Vanceuver Stocks

(Eagar Investments, Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
OILS		
Anglo-Canadian	2.05	2.45
A. P. Con.	33¾	
Atlas Oils	4¾	
British Columbia	3¾	4
Can. Prospecting Leases, pfd.	90	
Central Leduc	1.00	
Commonwealth	43	
Dalhousie	4	
Dalhousie Oil	2.30	
Home Oil	50	50
Home Oil 'A'	50	50
Hydrocarbons	1.10	1.15
Pacific Petroleum	13¾	14
Pan Western	1.00	
Ventures	13¾	14
Wainwright Prod.	14¾	15
Western Leaseholds	1.00	1.05
Yukon Mills A	1.00	
MINES		
Bayonne Cons.	08¾	07¾
Bralorne	6.00	6.05
Bridge River Con.	75	80
Cariboo Gold	1.00	1.05
Cariboo Quesnel	1.80	1.85
Cassiar Asbestos	3.75	3.80
Cottonwood	03¾	04
Dolly Varden	1.35	1.40
Eldorado	1.00	1.05
Equity Silver	1.00	1.05
Fairview Corp.	1.00	1.05
Giant Mascot	1.00	1.05
Gilbert Mines	1.00	1.05
Golden Cache	1.00	1.05
Hedley Gold	1.00	1.05
Highland Bell	1.00	1.05
Island Mountain	1.00	1.05
Kelowna Exploration	1.00	1.05
Kerr Addison	1.00	1.05
Lorado	1.00	1.05
Lynx Yukon	1.00	1.05
Mandy Mines	1.00	1.05
Marcus Gold	1.00	1.05
Mastodon Highland	1.00	1.05
Mayo Mines	1.00	1.05
McKenzie Red Lake	1.00	1.05
Merrill Island	1.00	1.05
Metals Exploration	1.00	1.05
Mosher Long Lac	1.00	1.05
Newmont Mining Corp.	1.00	1.05
Pacific Nickel	1.00	1.05
Pioneer Gold	1.00	1.05
Premier Border	1.00	1.05
Privateer	1.00	1.05
Reno Gold	1.00	1.05
Sheep Creek	1.00	1.05
Silver Miller	1.00	1.05
Silverado	1.00	1.05
Stuart Lake	1.00	1.05
Tungsten	1.00	1.05
Yukon Gold	1.00	1.05
INDUSTRIALS		
B.C. Power	1.00	1.05
Canadian West Lumber	1.00	1.05
Coast Breweries	1.00	1.05
Coast Copper Co.	1.00	1.05
Dominion Bridge	1.00	1.05
Pacific Mills	1.00	1.05
Prince Rupert	1.00	1.05
Vancouver Paper 'A'	1.00	1.05
Vancouver Paper 'B'	1.00	1.05

Stocks and Bonds

(B. A. Amos & Co.)

	Bid	Asked
INDUSTRIALS		
Algoma Pr. & P. Co., pr. pfd.	98¾	100¾
Algoma Steel	25¾	26¾
Assn. Gas & Electric Co. pfd.	98¾	100¾
Anthony Hardware 'A'	10¾	11¾
Bell Telephone	41¾	41¾
Bowater	41¾	41¾
Brantford Cordage 'A'	41¾	41¾
Brantford Cordage 'B'	41¾	41¾
Building Products	41¾	41¾
Canada Iron Foundries	41¾	41¾
Canada Iron Foundries Deben.	41¾	41¾
Can. Preserving Leases, pfd.	41¾	41¾
Canadian Industries	41¾	41¾
Canadian Industries Ltd.	41¾	41¾
Canadian Oil	41¾	41¾
Canadian Wallpaper	41¾	41¾
Corn Products Refining	41¾	41¾
Crown Cork Pref.	41¾	41¾
Crown Zellerbach	41¾	41¾
Dominion Bridge	41¾	41¾
Dominion Glass pfd.	41¾	41¾
Dominion Rubber	41¾	41¾
Dominion Rubber 1st Pref.	41¾	41¾
Dominion Stores Ltd.	41¾	41¾
Dominion Textile	41¾	41¾
Donnacona Paper	41¾	41¾
Dryden Paper	41¾	41¾
Fanny Farmer	41¾	41¾
Ford of Canada 'A'	41¾	41¾
Ford of Canada 'B'	41¾	41¾
Gaspe Copper	41¾	41¾
Gatineau Power	41¾	41¾
Gatineau Power pfd.	41¾	41¾
General Bakeries	41¾	41¾
General Steel Wares	41¾	41¾
Goodyear Tire	41¾	41¾
Hamilton Bridge	41¾	41¾
Howard Smith Paper	41¾	41¾
Imperial Oil	41¾	41¾
Imperial Tobacco	41¾	41¾
Imperial Tobacco Powder	41¾	41¾
Int. Nickel Pref.	41¾	41¾
Int. Paper Pref.	41¾	41¾
Int. Petroleum	41¾	41¾
Int. Utilities	41¾	41¾
Interprovincial Bridge	41¾	41¾
Interprovincial Pipe	41¾	41¾
Kelvinator of Canada	41¾	41¾
Lake of the Woods Milling	41¾	41¾
Lindsay, Walter M.	41¾	41¾
Loblaw Groceterias 'A'	41¾	41¾
Loblaw Groceterias 'B'	41¾	41¾
Massey-Harris	41¾	41¾
Melchers Distilleries	41¾	41¾
Melchers Distilleries 'A'	41¾	41¾
Minnesota & Ontario	41¾	41¾
Moffats Ltd.	41¾	41¾
Montreal Locomotive	41¾	41¾
Moore Corporation	41¾	41¾
Murphy Co. (G. C.)	41¾	41¾
National Breweries	41¾	41¾
National Breweries Pref.	41¾	41¾
National Steel Car	41¾	41¾
Ogilvie Flour Mills	41¾	41¾
Ogilvie Flour Mills Pref.	41¾	41¾
Orange Crush	41¾	41¾
Ottawa Car	41¾	41¾
Ottawa Car 4% pfd.	41¾	41¾
Penmans	41¾	41¾
Price Bros.	41¾	41¾
Quebec Power	41¾	41¾
Rio Tinto Pref.	41¾	41¾
Simpsons Pref.	41¾	41¾
Southam Co.	41¾	41¾
Steel Co. of Canada	41¾	41¾
Thrift Stores	41¾	41¾
Walker Gooderham, com.	41¾	41¾
Walker Pref.	41¾	41¾
Winnipeg Electric, com.	41¾	41¾
BANKS		
Commerce	41¾	41¾
Montreal	41¾	41¾
Nova Scotia	41¾	41¾
Royal	41¾	41¾
Toronto	41¾	41¾
LOANS		
Canada Permanent	41¾	41¾
Canada Permanent Mortgage	41¾	41¾
Canada Western	41¾	41¾
Canada Western Pref.	41¾	41¾
Huron & Erie	41¾	41¾
Huron & Erie Pref.	41¾	41¾
Landed Banking	41¾	41¾
London & Canadian	41¾	41¾
National Trust	41¾	41¾
Ontario Loan	41¾	41¾
Toronto Mortgage	41¾	41¾
Victory Loan	41¾	41¾
Victory Loan 1946	41¾	41¾
Victory Loan 1947	41¾	41¾
Victory Loan 1948	41¾	41¾
War Loan	41¾	41¾
War Loan 1946	41¾	41¾
War Loan 1947	41¾	41¾
War Loan 1948	41¾	41¾

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Feb. 17 (CP). — Oats and barley futures priced moved narrowly and showed a fairly firm trend on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange. This was especially true of the May contracts. They were taken by American interests on spreading operations in which May delivery was purchased against July sales.

(B. A. Banker, Ltd.)

	High	Low	Close	Change
Wheat—				
May	189¾	187¾	187¾	Unch.
July	185¾	183¾	183¾	Unch.
Oct.	180¾	178¾	178¾	Unch.
Oats—				
May	89¾	88¾	88¾	Unch.
July	87¾	86¾	86¾	Unch.
Oct.	87¾	86¾	86¾	Unch.
Barley—				
May	134¾	131¾	131¾	Unch.
July	131¾	128¾	128¾	Unch.
Oct.	131¾	128¾	128¾	Unch.
Rye—				
May	150¾	147¾	147¾	Unch.
July	148¾	145¾	145¾	Unch.
Oct.	147¾	144¾	144¾	Unch.
Flax—				
May	310¾	305¾	305¾	Unch.
July	310¾	305¾	305¾	Unch.
Oct.	310¾	305¾	305¾	Unch.

CASH GRAIN

Wheat	
No. 1 Nor.	189¾
No. 2 Nor.	186¾
No. 3 Nor.	183¾
No. 4	178¾
No. 5	173¾
No. 6	168¾
Feed	168¾
Oats	
No. 1 C.W.	89¾
No. 2 C.W.	87¾
No. 3 C.W.	85¾
Extra No. 1 Feed	85¾
No. 1 Feed	85¾
No. 2 Feed	85¾
Barley	
No. 3 C.W.	134¾
No. 4 C.W.	131¾
Rejected	131¾
Feed	131¾
Rye	
No. 1 C.W.	150¾
No. 2 C.W.	147¾
No. 3 C.W.	144¾
Feed	144¾
Flax	
No. 1 N.W.C.	310¾
No. 2 C.W.	305¾
No. 3 C.W.	305¾

Canadian Preferred Stocks

(T. P. Burns & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Anthes Imp. pfd.	10¾	11¾
Asbestos pfd.	41¾	41¾
Associated Breweries	41¾	41¾
Bathurst Power 'A'	41¾	41¾
Bell Telephone	41¾	41¾
Brewers & Distillers	41¾	41¾
Brewers & Distillers pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Breweries pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Bronze pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Cement pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Celanese pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Dredge pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Locomotive pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Oil Companies pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Packers pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Vickers pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Western Lbr. pfd.	41¾	41¾
Can. Wire & Cable pfd.	41¾	41¾
Canada Cement pfd.	41¾	41¾
Canadian Dredge & Dock pfd.	41¾	41¾
Canadian Steamships pfd.	41¾	41¾
Canadian Vickers pfd.	41¾	41¾
Canners pfd.	41¾	41¾
Celanese pfd.	41¾	41¾
Dominion Bridge pfd.	41¾	41¾
Dominion Glass pfd.	41¾	41¾
Dominion Rubber pfd.	41¾	41¾
Dominion Textile pfd.	41¾	41¾
Donnacona Paper pfd.	41¾	41¾
Ford of Canada pfd.	41¾	41¾
Gatineau Power pfd.	41¾	41¾
Goodyear Tire pfd.	41¾	41¾
Hamilton Bridge pfd.	41¾	41¾
Howard Smith Paper pfd.	41¾	41¾
Imperial Tobacco pfd.	41¾	41¾
Int. Nickel pfd.	41¾	41¾
Int. Paper pfd.	41¾	41¾
Int. Petroleum pfd.	41¾	41¾
Int. Utilities pfd.	41¾	41¾
Interprovincial Bridge pfd.	41¾	41¾
Interprovincial Pipe pfd.	41¾	41¾
Kelvinator of Canada pfd.	41¾	41¾
Lake of the Woods Milling pfd.	41¾	41¾
Lindsay, Walter M. pfd.	41¾	41¾
Loblaw Groceterias pfd.	41¾	41¾
Massey-Harris pfd.	41¾	41¾
Melchers Distilleries pfd.	41¾	41¾
Minnesota & Ontario pfd.	41¾	41¾
Moffats Ltd. pfd.	41¾	41¾
Montreal Locomotive pfd.	41¾	41¾
Moore Corporation pfd.	41¾	41¾
Murphy Co. (G. C.) pfd.	41¾	41¾
National Breweries pfd.	41¾	41¾
National Steel Car pfd.	41¾	41¾
Ogilvie Flour Mills pfd.	41¾	41¾
Orange Crush pfd.	41¾	41¾
Ottawa Car pfd.	41¾	41¾
Penmans pfd.	41¾	41¾
Price Bros. pfd.	41¾	41¾
Quebec Power pfd.	41¾	41¾
Rio Tinto Pref. pfd.	41¾	41¾
Simpsons Pref. pfd.	41¾	41¾
Southam Co. pfd.	41¾	41¾
Steel Co. of Canada pfd.	41¾	41¾
Thrift Stores pfd.	41¾	41¾
Walker Gooderham pfd.	41¾	41¾
Winnipeg Electric pfd.	41¾	41¾

Closing Averages

(Nelson Richardson & Sons, Ltd.)

TORONTO

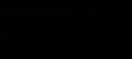
Twenty industrials, 172.56, up .92	
Twenty golds, 86.30, up .20	
Ten base metals, 102.20, up .62	
Fifteen western oils, 62.72, up .45	
Total sales, 815,000.	

MONTREAL

Twenty industrials, 138.4, up .3.	
Ten utilities, 71.5, up 1	
Thirty combined, 106.2, up 3.	
Fifteen golds, 60.40, off .07.	
Ten papers, 308.38, off .34.	
Total sales, 184,200.	

Bank Clearings

Bank clearing for the week ended Thursday totaled $6,137,018, compared with $6,052,807 during the corresponding period last year, according to the Victoria Clearing House.



London Market

LONDON, Feb. 17 (Reuters).—The London Stock Exchange was greatly quiet today, but devoid of interest. Several minor firm features were to be seen in industrials. Imperial Chemicals were in good demand and recorded a useful gain. Oilfields and various ordinary stock was supported, and there were improvements in trons, steels and shipbuilding.

Changes: Babcock & Wilcox, 75s 9d; Bonar Pure Drug, 34s 9d; C.P.R., 21½; Central Mining, 117-1-3; Consolidated Gold Fields, 14s 1-3d; Courtaulds, 37s 1-4d; De Beers, 9s 3d; Hudson's Bay Co., 7s 6d; Metal Box, 110s 9d; Mexican Eagle, 16s 10-1-3d; Rand Mines, 9¾ 6d.

Bonds: British 2-1-2 per cent Consols, £81 5-16; British 3-1-2 per cent War Loans, £107 7-8; British Funding 4s, 1960-1990, £114 11-16.

Egg Market

To producer

Grade "A" large	43
Grade "A" medium	42
Pullets	39
Grade "B"	37

Wholesale

Grade "A" large	46
Grade "A" medium	45
Pullets	39
Grade "B"	37

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, Feb. 17 (CP).—Securities edged into higher ground during slow dealings near the finel hour in the Montreal Stock Exchange and Curb Market. Mining shares were light, and the majority of issues were a few cents better. Papers, metals and oils fell/leaned, while utilities and beverages were mixed.

Canadian Investment Fund	25¾	25¾	25¾
Canadian Bank of Commerce	25¾	25¾	25¾
Dominion Bank	25¾	25¾	25¾
Imperial Bank	25¾	25¾	25¾
Montreal Bank	25¾	25¾	25¾
Nova Scotia Bank of Canada	25¾	25¾	25¾
Royal Bank	25¾	25¾	25¾
Toronto Bank	25¾	25¾	25¾
Abitibi Power	25¾	25¾	25¾

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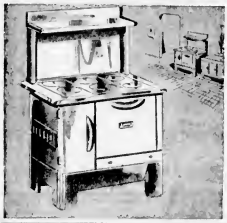

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Trim, sturdy little two-piece suits for little boys. They wash so easily and look so fresh! For ages 1 to 3 years. Good quality cotton broadcloth with neat short-sleeved blouses and well-cut button-on pants. Blouse styles include convertible collars, button fronts, and tiny collars and sailor-collar styles. Blouses mostly white with pants in contrasting shades of yellow, blue, green and turquoise; also some solid color suits in group. Sizes 1, 2 and 3 years. A feature for the early shopper! Spotlight Sale Price ..... Each **1.94**

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Boys' and Girls' Cheviot Reefers

Nautical double-breasted-style reefers with shiny brass buttons, colorful sleeve emblem, notched collar and straight-cut back. Tailored from good all-wool cheviot cloth, in navy blue. Lined with durable black mercerized cotton. Sizes 2 to 6X years. A smartly-styled coat for your young lad or lass. Spotlight Sale Price, each

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Eaton's Medicinal Petroleum Oil. 40-oz size **79c**

Hall-gallon for **1.49**

Castile Soap ..... 4 cakes **45c**

Allenbury's Superfatted Soap. Box of 3 cakes **97c**

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NO. 58—NINETY-FIRST YEAR — VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1949

Sudbury Trims U.S. To Stay in Running

Canadian Pucksters Whip Americans, 7-2, To Fan Hopes of Retaining Championship

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	T	F	A	Pts
Sweden	7	0	0	30	7	14
Czecho-Slovakia	7	0	0	18	3	14
Canada	7	1	0	11	7	12
Switzerland	3	3	1	11	11	7
United States	1	6	0	7	24	2
Austria	0	7	0	3	14	0

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 17 (CP)—Canada's Sudbury Wolves slammed 7-2 home four goals in the final period today to defeat the United States, 7-2, in the world amateur hockey championship finals.

The game had been delayed 45 minutes at the request of Stockholm police, who took no chances of a repetition of Wednesday night's gate-crashing scenes when 16 persons were injured after thousands of fans tried to get into the rink to watch Canada and Sweden play a 0-0 tie.

The delay gave police time to clear crowds away from outside Olympia Stadium. Heavy guards were posted inside and outside the ice arena.

The victory fanned Canadian hopes of retaining for Canada the world crown won a year ago by the R.C.A.F. Flyers. Canada now has three points with two games left to play against Austria and Switzerland.

A crowd of 7,800 in Olympia Stadium saw the Wolves virtually eliminate the Americans from title contention. It was the second straight defeat a century for the United States.

SWEDES TAKE LEAD

Earlier, Sweden took the lead in the six-country round-robin tournament with a 5-0 decision over Switzerland. The Swedes now have five points with three remaining against the United States and Czecho-Slovakia. The Czechs, idle today, are in second place with four points followed by Canada

Sweden's 5-0 victory over Switzerland took the ice with their work cut out for them. They had to win—or else—and perhaps needed a combination of circumstances which had deprived them of victory against Czechs and Sweden they took no chances against the Americans.

Three of victory-starved Czechs in the first period, countered a two-goal American attack in the second period with one of their own and then poured in the four final-session tallies.

There's a part of a song or a verse, or something, which I can still remember from the days—quite a while ago, now—when I was the apple of my grandmother's eye. "First graduation," I it said: " . . . and 10,000 Swedes ran through the weeds, chasing one Norwegian." Not very funny to an Irishman. But its humor lay in the fact that it did irritate the Swedes.

In spite of this, I must admit that the hockey riot at Stockholm has been extremely disheartening to me. It wasn't the riot, exactly, but the cause of it which has made me more certain than ever that you can never be sure.

Now, as I have stated in this corner before, my forbears hailed from that part of Scandinavia claimed by the Norwegians for their own. While I have never been off this continent and know less about that part of the world than high school students, there is a natural pride in racial origin.

The Swedes, Danes, Norwegians and Icelanders have their differences; but, at worst, it is only a family squabble. Deep down, the Norwegian believes that the pen is mightier than the sword, and is wont to let the Swede know he feels a certain mental superiority. All the while, however, he looks upon his fellow neighbor with a secret admiration. The Swede is recognized by his fellow Scandinavian as the rugged member of this racial group. It was a reputation he had proven more than once. Well, it was sure.

Then along comes the world hockey championship. Canada, the home of the ice sport, sends down a team in the aggregation of what would pass as nice young fellows over here. Not a Bill Rebnick in the lot, we thought. In fact, Canadians felt they were sending boys on a man's errand.

The lads ran up against a pretty good team in one of the games and bodied a few fouls in the rush of "rugged" Swedes immediately set up a terrific clamor and our ambassadors of good will were labeled "dangerous men" in a reasonably-conservative Stockholm press.

Word got around quickly. Canada played Sweden the next day and it looked bad. There is nothing like national spirit. The Canadian could not get into the rink for over an hour due to a rioting throng outside. The report said there were 14,000 Swedes in the rink and more outside.

There are those odds again!

Random Harvest

With the purchase and signing of Southpaw **Jim Hedgecock** now accomplished, you can again rate **Vancouver Capilanos** as almost a play-off certainty . . . **New York Rangers** and **Montreal Canadiens**—can make or break their play-off hopes over the week-end. The Pairickmen are scheduled in Montreal, Saturday, and return home with the Flying Frenchmen for a return go, Sunday . . . It seems likely now that the 1948-49 and 1949-50 soccer seasons will clash. A Vancouver report says that the Coast Province will likely be extended into August or September, which means that there will be soccer for the next 18 months or more . . . Jockey Basil James is wondering what he has to ride to win a **Santa Anita Handicap**. James has ridden in seven of them. At the head of the stretch, his mounts were in front four times, second once, third once and fourth once. He has yet to win . . . **Oak Bay** teams have been using Victoria parks for years. Now that **Windsor Park** has been made one of the best-in the city and equipped with flood-lights, city teams enquiring about practice time have been told that a present only Oak Bay teams are being accommodated . . . **Don Cockeline** won't get a chance to participate in the **P.N.W. Golden Gloves** at Seattle, next Monday and Tuesday. It is reported that his studies at **U.B.C.** will keep him too busy . . . **Linda Dale** and **Bea Gillis**, the two Vancouver **Ice Follies** stars, helped draw a record wrestling crowd of over 3,300 into Vancouver's **Exhibition Gardens** on Wednesday. The press reaction there was far from favorable. **Bill Gow** commenting: "For my money the girls could go back to the kitchen" . . . Hard-working **Dutch Evers** is proving a grand pioneer at New Westminster, although the fans are staying away in large numbers in the Royal City lately . . . Weight-lifter **John Parnham**, who will be the second referee for Rocky Brooks' tag-team finish match tomorrow, has ambitions of becoming a wrestler himself and will get some coaching from Brooks.

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QUERIES DEPARTMENT: Brentwood Aces over McNutt's **U.B.C. All-Stars** over Victoria High, and **Victoria College girls** over Vic High in tonight's basketball. Batting average to date: **Al** bat **$50, hits $13, percentage .504.**

Name Smith President At Colwood

K. C. Smith was elected president of the Royal Colwood Golf and Country Club at the annual meeting on Wednesday night. Vice-president was named vice-president. A. A. Buller, secretary-manager, and Kenneth Genn, auditor.

Elected as directors were Smith, K. L. Stone, H. McCarthy, A. Hendry, J. A. Pollard, F. H. Norton, Painter and E. Hutchings. Shaw was named chairman of the executive committee, which also includes Smith and G. Reford. Hutchings is chairman of the greens committee, which includes Norton and Pollard, while Mc-Carthy, Hendry and Pollard form the house committee, with the former as chairman.

About 75 members were present. Reports presented showed a successful season, with the club in excellent financial condition and boasting a membership of approximately 800.

Hockey Scores

OHA. JUNIOR

Toronto Marlboros 3, Windsor 2

QUEBEC SENIOR

Ottawa 7, Shawinigan 3

New York 4, Washington Falls 3

QUEBEC JUNIOR

Three Rivers 1, Quebec 6

CAPE BRETON SENIOR

Glace Bay 5, North Sydney 1.

(Glace Bay leads best-of-seven series, 3-0, one tie).

MARITIME SENIOR

Saint John 6, Halifax 3

(Saint John leads best-of-seven series-final, 3-1)

Dartmouth 6, Moncton 4.

(Best-of-seven semi-final tied, 3-3).

U.S.H.L.

Dallas 6, Houston 1.

Fort Worth 2, Tulsa 5

A.H.L.

Buffalo 3, Indianapolis 3

Providence 3, New Haven 1

WESTERN CANADA JUNIOR

Fort William Canadians 3, Port William Rangers 2.

WESTERN CANADA SENIOR

Lethbridge 4, Saskatoon 2

P.C.H.L.

Seattle 2, Portland 3.

San Diego 3, Fresno 1.

Ironmen Rally To Tie Eagles

PORTLAND, Ore., Feb. 17 (CP)—The Seattle Ironmen, who upset the Portland Eagles last night, nearly did it again tonight, coming from behind to earn a 5-3 tie in the Pacific Coast Hockey League.

Trailing 3-1, Ironmen banged home two goals, then played the Eagles to a standstill through a scoreless, penalty-overtime period.

Eagle Goalie Tom Karakas protested George Benick's goal so vicilently he was banished from the game. Fred Valenti whimsed home the tieing goal while Joe Madrynki scored the initial marker. Portland scorers were Hamilton, Bangay and Shewchuk.

House III Takes First-Half Laurels As Four V.H.S. Cage Squads Triumph

HOW THEY STAND

	W	L	F	A	Pts
House III	4	0	241	168	8
House II	3	1	242	158	6
House IV	2	2	211	214	4
House I	1	3	211	214	2
Kennedy	0	4	197	196	0
Bay IV	0	4	197	196	0
Mt. View	0	4	168	206	0
Bay V	0	4	156	206	0

House III trimmed Oak Bay, 32-25, yesterday, to capture first-half laurels in the Inter-High School Senior Boys' Basketball League. Defeat dropped Bay's into third place behind House II, which whipped Mt View, 29-18.

For the first time in two years, all four Victoria High School quintettes marked up victories. In a double-header at the Fernwood gymnasium, House IV trounced Mt. Douglas, 44-26, and House I took a poor brand of ball, but House II had little difficulty with the home team, 42-18.

At Oak Bay the home team moved around Doug Bertie took scoring honors with ten points in a losing effort as the boys trailed at the half on the long end of a 15-10 count. Immediately after resumption of play, Gerry Parker netted three successive baskets to give the runner-up their first winners in front, and they steadily built up the margin to the final count. Parker shared scoring honors with teammate Bruce Naylor with 13 points each, while Bruce Auchinvole led losers with 10.

At Mt. View, the teams dished up a real thriller, with the issue in doubt right up to the final whistle. Pat Engulfall never threatened as the clubs battled for fourth place honors. Acreman wound up his afternoon's work with a total of 16 points.

Bob Rowe netted 11 points to lead House IV to its second victory of the season against a weak Mt. Douglas quintette. Teammates Cedric Robinson and Gerry Emery of losers counted 18 points each.

Line-ups follow:

House IV: Rowe 11, Shields 8, Smith, Singh, Robson 13, Curry 2, Wong 8, Rosance, Total—44.

Mt. Douglas: Emery 18, Wakelyn 8, Nicholson 6, Bennett 2, Pederson, Cormack, Hooper, Total—26.

House I: Boyd 1, Clark 4, Acreman 16, Bebb, Blair 2, Day 2, Anderman, Rainford 4, Affleck 4, Crist, Chan, Total—33.

Mt. View: Engulfall: McConechy 6, Bertrand 8, Adams 2, Saunders 3, Chapman 4, Jackson, Hunter, Fleming, Benson. Total—24.

Oak Bay: Mackay, Hill 5, Tolson 3, Auchinvole 10, Paterson 4, Baxter, Higg, Shaw, Barnes, Victch. Total —25.

House III: Naylor 12, Newton 6, Parker 13, Lee, Peterson 3, McMillan, Mackie. Total—32.

Greenwood Rolls 254; New Record

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.
Regos Imperials	30	27
Christmas Crackers	30	30
Calsilat	35	31
Manning Lumber	33	31
Argosy Coffee Shop	34	32
Dominion Meat	27	39
Pratt & Lambert	21	45

Diminutive Bob Greenwood set a new record for individual play in the Arcade Alleys last night as he wound up with a 254 count to pace Eagles to a victory over Dominion Meat in the deciding game of a three-game series to roll the old 2.35 standard set by Harold Shephard several weeks ago. Greenwood started off with a 90 mediocre 130, improved to 160 in the second game before smashing to his record-making performance Getting the ball squarely in the pocket on most of his hits, he only threw two bad balls. They came in the third and tenth frames. He opened with a double, picked only the seven pin in the fourth and third, counted a spare and then set sail on a row before getting eight pins on his first delivery in the final frame. He picked up the seven pin for his tenth and last strike. His big game also gave him a three-game count of 583, best for the night, and enabled the Aerie to set a new season's high single with a pin count of 1,014.

The 2-1 win for the leaders increased their lead at the top of the Commercial League standings to two games but left five other clubs in a hot battle for the remaining three play-off positions.

Boone Importers dropped two to Argosy Coffee Shop but retained a two-game advantage in second place as Christmas Crackers moved up with a 3-1 verdict over the Colonial five. Manning copped a pair from Pratt & Lambert to tie Da Nova Paperware for the fourth slot, one game ahead of Argosy.

Earl Davis, Christmas Crackers, was consistent to rack up 535 while Teammate Bill Lee had 340. Lee, Murrant of Eagles rolled 534. John Angus and Fred Shaw each had 531's. Angus' 531 included adding Angus with 313, R. Fiphick, with 302, Murrant, with 304, and Freddy Welsh, with 200, managed a single game in the league bracket in addition to Greenwood.

Habs Blank Leafs; Mosdell Nets Two

Darnan Earns Fifth Shutout of Season As Canadiens Strengthen Play-Off Hopes

HOW THEY STAND

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
Detroit	28	16	8	154	116	64
Boston	26	16	8	158	124	60
Toronto	17	19	13	116	125	46
Montreal	16	21	7	121	114	45
Chicago	13	24	7	144	169	33
New York	12	27	5	127	173	29
West games, Saturday: New York at Montreal, Boston at Toronto.

MONTREAL, Feb 17 (CP) — Ken Mosdell drove home two goals tonight while his team was shutbanished and led Montreal Canadiens a 3-0 shutout victory over Toronto Maple Leafs before a crowd of 11,327. It was Bill Durnan's fifth shutout of the season and moved Canadiens' victory list Canadiens ahead of second place Hilliard Toronto in the National Hockey League standing.

KEN MOSDELL

The Leafs, in third place, hold only a one-point margin over Canadiens.

The win broke a long dismal streak for Canadiens of only a tie their last seven games and also snapped Toronto's run of four victories and two ties in their last half-dozen games.

Although 18 penalties were handed out seven to Leafs and six to Canadiens, the game lacked the usual fire.

LINE-UPS

Toronto: Broda; Barilko, Kennedy; Thompson, Kaiser; Metz, Mosdell, Lach; Chamberlain, Gracie, Mosdell; Reibel, Hergesheimer, Mosdell; Bentley, Duncan, Reay; Mosdell, Watson, Mosdell; Bennett, Poile, Mosdell; Mosdell, Mosdell, Mosdell; Mosdell, Mosdell, Mosdell; Mosdell, Mosdell

The Sportlight

By GRANTLAND RICE

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Feb. 17.—There is a fellow out here who is either the first or the second best pitcher baseball ever knew. His name is Grover Cleveland Alexander. The other pitcher is Walter John-son.

They are two entirely different types. Walter Johnson was an apostle of pure physical supremacy. He simply threw the ball by them. That was all. It is said that it is extremely difficult to hit what you can't see.

Alexander was the other type. Old Pete depended largely on control, on putting the ball where you didn't want it and couldn't hit it.

JERED EVERS

"He made me want to throw my bat away when I went to the plate," Johnny Evers once told me. "He fed me pitches I couldn't hit. If I hit them, go, they were strikes. He made you hit bad balls. He made you throw into a tin can all day long."

Alex the Great was here at a party the other night. He has a good job now and he is making a living. He was also telling young pitchers in a quiet way what made a great pitcher. The answer is control."

"You don't make an ballplayer," Alex said, "but control means more than anything else to a pitcher. Teams could always murder bad ball pitchers—except Johnson. But they never murder pitching that gave them balls they didn't like to swing at.

CONTROL FORGOTTEN

"Pitchers today have forgotten what the word control means. Control isn't merely getting the ball over the plate. Any pitcher should be able to do that—although many can't. Control means putting the ball exactly where you want it—to make the batter do what you want the batter doesn't want it. Make the fellow at bat hit the ball on the handle or far out at the end of the bat. Never let him get a good cut at it.

"This doesn't come to you. You work for it. I worked until I felt I could drive a nail at 60 feet or hit you in the right or left eye. Too many pitcher, today think only of throwing the ball as hard as they can. They have no idea where it is going. I know how hard Christy Mathewson worked for control. So did Walter Johnson. Johnson was always afraid of hitting somebody.

"The game today is full of many young throwers—but you wouldn't call 'em pitchers. Pitching is a great art. It means speed and curves. It means study and knowledge of the batters you face. But above everything else, it means control—the ability to place the pitch where you want it—even into a thimble if you have to."

ABOUT ALEX THE GREAT

I happened to send in New York the year Alexander came up to the Phillies for his first big league job. He was a kid than from Syracuse, where he had pitched the year before.

Several big league scouts looked him over at Syracuse and decided he wouldn't do. He was a sidearm pitcher, they said.

In his first year with the Phillies, Alexander won 28 games. And the Phillies were no world-beaters. Rookies today who win 15 or 16 games are indeed phenoms.

From that start, the Nebraska Hillman went on to win 373 games, tied up with Christy Mathewson in a lifetime career. Many was a great pitcher before working with the Giants was a big improvement over working with the Phillies.

STILL HOLDS RECORD

A 16-game winner today is never done with. One season with the Phillies, Alex pitched 16 shutouts. No one has ever equaled that record.

He had a year at war, overseas, when he came back in 1918 many said he'd pitched that God Pete was about through. Instead, he won 13 and 10 and started out again at 1-2 per game. He still had six or seven good years left.

Bill McKechnie told a typical Alexander story.

"We knew Alex was about through," Bill said. "So did Alex. He didn't work for some time. Give Me a chance to get back in shape, Bill,' he said one day, and I'll show you something.'

"I never thought I'd see him again, but three or four years later he reported. 'I'm O.K.' he said. 'Put me in any day.'

GOOD AS BOAST

"Just to humor him, I stuck him in a game. And pitched a shutout. He started with a shutout and he finished with a shutout.

"What a pitcher that fellow was! No one ever had the control that Alexander had. He knew where he would be to see pitchers today who don't have any control of his control."

It is generally well known that the star pitcher made no great effort to keep in condition. But whatever his condition, he could always step out and deliver a masterpiece.

Alexander's games were always fast. He rarely needed more than an hour and 30 minutes to close out the show.

He won 30 or more games three years in succession, another record ever, so far. Bryna, Rixey, Coveleski, Vance, Grimes, Root, Faber, Hubbell, Dean, Mungo, Derringer, Passeau, Lee, Warneke, Carleton, Feller, Wynn, Lemon, Newhouser, Reynolds, Trucks, Ferriss, Kennedy, Marty Bell.

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U.S. Counters Soviet Broadcasts But Japanese Tiring of "Line"

TOKIO, Feb. 18. (NANA)—Radio Moscow can be heard as clearly in Japan on a 410 radio as you can get your local station back home.

The Russians have steadily increased the power of their Siberian and North Korean transmitters. The Kremlin line has been getting an added boost in the last few weeks from the active Communist Chinese radio station believed to be located in North Shensi province.

The Russians beam six shows daily toward these islands. They are scheduled for the heaviest listening hours: 9 a.m. and 7:00, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30 and 10:45 in the evening. They carry music, news and commentary in the Japanese language. They broadcast personal information about some of the 600,000 Japanese prisoners still in Russian hands. Since the end of the war the families of millions of Japanese prisoners have been potential listeners to the Moscow radio.

SHOWS POORLY DONE

By American standards, the Soviet shows are not well done. Programs usually deal with life in the U.S.S.R., boast of Soviet farming and industrial achievements. One Tokio newspaper identified a female voice as that of a Japanese prewar actress. On English-language broadcasts the announcer has a British accent. Other programs are in Russian.

Shows are believed to originate in the Soviet capital, with a relay from Khabarovsk. Some sections of Japan get a better pickup than others. No one appears to know the size of the Japanese audience.

The Soviet Moscow radio is piloted up by the Japanese Kyodo News Agency for one by its slogan. The shows carry news stories by the New China News Agency. Reports stress the good behavior of Communist troops, the fact that factories keep humming although local governments change hands during the night from Nationalists to Communists, and that the Communists plan to take part in the occupation of Japan.

ANTI-RED BLAST

To counteract this oral offensive the Japanese Broadcasting Corporation solces Japanese and foreign authorities with anti-Communist blast. Nothing critical of the occupation goes on the air. Even the J.B.C. does not contradict Communist lies—because general headquarters feels that this would be playing into Communist hands. However, when the rumor that Americans were importing poisoned sugar reached alarming circulation, J.B.C. put out an antidote.

G.H.Q. has tackled the problem from an affirmative side, lauding the virtues of American democracy as rather than fighting Communism. The "Primer of Democracy," an easy-to-understand study of individual freedoms and responsibilities written by a group of Japanese scholars, will be the basis of a series of programs. Two million copies of the primer itself are being printed for distribution among the masses.

The complete program schedule on J.B.C.'s first network is shortwaved to the Asiatic continent. Japanese in North China are reported to be listening. But Japanese in Siberia have no way to do so.

MORE VIGOROUS PLAN

It can be repeated that with the recent disarmament of 30 senior units in the Diet, G.H.Q. will follow a more vigorous anti-Communist line.

In addition to the American news agencies, which service all the Japanese newspapers with news written from the American point of view, G.H.Q. makes available to local publications stories and editorials clipped from the American press. It is interesting to note that some Japanese editors are so afraid of their left-wing readers and staff members that they have refused to print the anti-Communist line taken by some of America's leading columnists.

American books also have been permitted entry into Japan in recent months. But the process of operating through G.H.Q. is so slow and the copyright controls exacting as to protection that many have refused to have their worthwhile works translated into Japanese.

Chamberlain, Watson in Reach Of Select N.H.L. Century Club

MONTREAL, Feb. 17 (CP). — Only two new members have been admitted to the National Hockey League's Century Club so far this season but two other players are rapping loudly on the door.

The two newcomers, with 100 or more goals in their N.H.L. careers, are Sid Abel and Ted Lindsay of Detroit Red Wings. Their entrance, which took place last week, marks the first time a present-day player of the Wings has made the select club.

The two likely to become members before the year ends are the veteran Murph Chamberlain of Montreal Canadiens and Harry Watson of Toronto Maple Leafs.

ONLY TWO SHY

Chamberlain, with a playing career behind him back to 1926-27 season and embracing four N.H.L. clubs, has scored 96 goals.

Watson, who broke into the N.H.L. in the 1941-42 season with Brooklyn Americans and went to Toronto before coming to Leafs, has rung up a total of 86 goals.

Abel became the first pile, or this season to become a Century member when he scored against Toronto on January 22. He now has 103 goals.

Lindsay became a member in spectacular fashion February 5 against Chicago Black Hawks when he pulled the hat trick. He also has a total of 102 now.

Maurice Richard of Montreal Canadiens is the only active N.H.L. player today with more than 200 goals in modern hockey with 208.

Including games of February 16, the Century Club has 14 playing members. Chicago Black Hawks have five, Canadiens and Boston Bruins three each, Toronto and Detroit two each and New York Rangers one.

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Racing Results, Entries

At Fair Grounds

FIRST RACE—
Speed Cop (Gilbert) 7.00 4.50 3.00
Five Star (Arcaro) 4.00 3.00
Colonel Star (Hast) 10.00
Betrothed (Rankin Chance, Aaston 5 to 1) 2.00
White Rain (Rankin) 2.00
Time—1:12 4-5.

SECOND RACE—
Bill O. (Chase) $10.00 $6.00 $3.00
Bold Ruler (Arcaro) 8.00 5.00
Gallant Knight (Gray Gray, Schorr, Jones) 4.00
Lone Wire, Silver Bones, War Sadoun also ran.
Time—1:11 4-5.

THIRD RACE—
What a Mule (Perch) $22.40 $10.00 $4.00
Ayers Rock (Gilbert) 4.00 3.00
Knockdown (Arcaro) 3.00
Bridefield (Nine Crew, Pinchon Rose) also ran.
Time—1:37 4-5.

FOURTH RACE—
Bed o' Roses (Arcaro) $35.60 $21.00 $11.00
Bewitch (Gilbert) 12.00 6.00
Belleville (Richard) 5.00
Time—1:37 4-5.

FIFTH RACE—
Wyandy (Gilbert) $5.00 $3.20 $3.00
Bay Rum (Arcaro) 3.00
Bewildered, Valdina Julian, Dear Mom also ran.
Time—1:12 4-5.

SIXTH RACE—
Bolero (Arcaro) $15.20 $7.40 $3.00
Gallant Fox (Gilbert) 3.00
Fenelon (Conn) 3.00
Time—1:37 4-5.

SEVENTH RACE—
Oxford Road (Arcaro) $17.80 $10.00 $6.00
Oxford Star (Gilbert) 15.00 8.00
What Night (Rehlaeger) 4.00
Time—1:37 4-5. Mutuel Pool $1,000,000.

EIGHTH RACE—
Red Axis (Martin) $17.80 $6.00 $6.40
Bewitch (Gilbert) 4.00 2.60
Bewildered (Perkins) 2.00
Time—1:37 4-5. Mutuel Pool $1,000,000.

At Santa Anita

FIRST RACE—
Bill Barker (Longden) 9.00 4.40 3.00
Pay Dirt (Pierce) 4.00 3.00
Pat's Lucky Knight (Schweitzer) 3.00
Time—1:12 4-5. Mutuel Pool $1,000,000.

SECOND RACE—
Chicken Dinner (Longden) $12.00 $12.00 $4.00
Bonnie Bee (Pierce) 4.00 3.00
Bonnie Peggy (Schweitzer) 3.00
Time—1:12 4-5. Mutuel Pool $1,000,000.

THIRD RACE—
Bryan Gallant (Arcaro) 6.60 $4.10 $3.00
Bold Ruler (Longden) 3.00 2.00
War Sun (Longden) 2.00
Time—1:37 4-5. Mutuel Pool $1,000,000.

FOURTH RACE—
Bonnie Bee (Pierce) $11.40 $6.00 $3.00
Bewitch (Gilbert) 4.00 3.00
Delia Queen (Gentry) 3.00
Time—1:37 4-5. Mutuel Pool $1,000,000.

FIFTH RACE—
Bay Rum (Arcaro) $13.80 $7.20 $3.00
Bewildered (Perkins) 4.00 3.00
Over Arches (Gilbert) 3.00
Time—1:37 4-5. Mutuel Pool $1,000,000.

SIXTH RACE—
Dan Sweet (Pierce) $18.80 $5.00 $3.00
Bolero (Arcaro) 3.00 3.00
Fenelon (Conn) 3.00
Time—1:37 4-5. Mutuel Pool $1,000,000.

SEVENTH RACE—
Oxford Road (Arcaro) $4.20 $4.10 $3.00
Oxford Star (Gilbert) 15.00 8.00
Chief Chilo (Wright) 4.00
Time—1:37 4-5. Mutuel Pool $1,000,000.

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Bewitch (Gilbert) 4.00 3.00
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OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

FIRST RACE—Selling, furlongs
Sun Sister ..... 112 Pavillion
Lucky Lad ..... 112 Dan Abaya
Time ..... 107 Bob O'Brien
Bonnie Bee ..... 107 Bob Ussery
Bonnie Peggy ..... 107 Bob Ussery
Bonnie ..... 107 Linwood Tinsley
Bonnie Orphey ..... 107 Bob Ussery
Time ..... 107 Bob Ussery

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs
Bonnie Bee ..... 112 Pavillion
Lady Bethel ..... 107 Ernest Bushing
Time ..... 107 Bob Ussery
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Hoop Play-Offs Scheduled For Week-End

Victoria basketball quintettes will continue their quests for Island titles tonight and tomorrow.

Tonight's action is all on foreign floors. Brentwood Aces, city senior "A" men's champions, tangle with McNutt's Loggers, Suburban titlists, at Fraser Street Hall tonight at 8 o'clock in the first game of a total-point series for the right to meet Duncan for the Lone Island crown. Second game will be played tomorrow night at the Victoria High School at 8 p.m.

Three games will be played at Duncan tonight. Comox will carry a 13-point lead into the second game of their total-point series with Kyle's Taxi for the Lower Island senior "B" women's crown in the feature contest at 9 p.m. Arrows and Zenlths meet in the second game of the junior girls' series at 8 p.m. with the Victoria quintette sporting a 13 point margin. The preliminary at 7 p.m. pits Bobs against Duncan in the first of a total-point series for the midget boys' laurels.

Tomorrow's card at the High School is rounded out by the second game of the Elks-Crescents intermediate "B" boys' series at 7 p.m. and the decisive contest of the Y.M.C.A.-Pro Patria senior "A" men's city semi-final at 8 p.m.

Await Rulings On Suspension Of Puck Stars

MANAIMO, Feb. 17 (CP)—"Decisions on the Ron Montgomery and Guy Lafleur hockey suspensions probably will be announced at the beginning of next week," Frank F. Becker of Vernon, president of the British Columbia Amateur Hockey Association, said today during a long-distance telephone conversation.

Investigations into both cases have been completed and all the pertinent information has been sent to the other bird it bears.

executive of B.C.A.H.A. and Becker expects to have the viewpoints of all members by this week-end.

Suspensions to Clippers' Montgomery and Kamloops' Lafleur followed incidents in a recent exhibition series between Nanaimo Clippers of the Pacific Coast Senior "B" League and Kamloops Elks of the Okanagan-Mainline circuit.

PRODUCTION INCREASE

Production of cars and commercial vehicles for Britain in 1948 was 10 per cent more than the 1947 output.

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Wolves Puzzled by Instability Of European Hockey Referees

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 17 (CP).—Some members of Canada's Kitchener Wolves are beginning to wish they had stayed home.

Wolves are beginning to wish they had disappeared from European hockey if the present world championship series is any sample.

Four members of the Wolves, in the finals in their hotel room after the small hours of this morning, claimed that referees other than the play alone helped shape the present plight of the Canadians in the world's tournament—one loss and one tie for two games in the round-robin six-team finals.

Defenceman Joe Turgeson, Goalie Al Pinard and Forwards Joe Gilbert-son and Tom Russell of the Wolves displayed mixed emotions over their plight.

The European refereeing to date has prevailed "in the countries in Europeans have decided that the world championship won't come to North America at any price. A two-ago B.C.A.F. Flyers won the world from for Canada by defeating Czecho-Slovakia.

The Canadian players say the refereeing has been inconsistent and although the players have been told that Canada's Amateur Hockey Association rules govern their play, such rules have not been followed, especially in the case of interference. They say the same type of play will sometimes be penalized and sometimes allowed by the same referee.

Russell said: "It's reached a point now that we are afraid to fight for the puck."

The Canadians also charge that the European referees abuse language differences. Turgeson claimed that one official, who in the dressing room spoke fluent English, made out on his ice that he did not understand. She language.

Turgeson added: "Perhaps we do play rougher than the Europeans but that's no reason to be penalized for a play which the Europeans can get away with."

Seeks Empire Title

New arrival in London who may take place of Les Sarrold in six-foot fair-haired Australian boxer. Al Gallagher. He hopes to tackle some of best British heavyweights with idea of meeting Bruce Woodcock for Empire title. He has come from South Africa, where he has spent last 18 months. He is married and has two sons, aged five and two, who are with his wife in Johannesburg. Gallagher is reported to rival Sayold in looks. Here he is shown in sparring attitude as he gets down to training in London.

Boston Scribe Fears Toronto Will Oust Bruins From Second

TORONTO, Feb. 17 (CP).—At least hockey and giving them solid backing enemy hockey writer expects a Toronto Maple Leafs to finish the National Hockey League season with a rush that will carry them into second place.

Doug (Windsor Star) Vaughan relays the prediction he got recently from Chicken-liver with Nevin Boston Globe. The way Kelly sees it the Leafs will pull off their climb at the expense of his favorite Bruins, now in the occupancy of the second-place slot.

The Leafs and Bruins play each other six times before the schedule is wound up—roughly half of the remaining games for each. The Toronto team has beaten Boston five straight so far. And Kelly adds that most of Boston's remaining games are on foreign ice. The Leafs are divided evenly—home and away.

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JOB NO TOUGHIE

Andy (Toronto Star) Little get talking to Bill Durnan and found that the Montreal Canadiens goalie thinks modern puckstoppers have a less hazardous occupation than their predecessors of ten years ago or so.

Bill, taking the opposite line to most fans and writers, says the present-day defensive sets down-other six times before the schedule is wound up—roughly half of the remaining games for each. The Toronto team has beaten Boston five straight so far. And Kelly adds that most of Boston's remaining games are on foreign ice. The Leafs are divided evenly—home and away.

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EXHIBITION BASKETBALL

McKernan's intermediate "B" boys' and girls' basketball team will journey to Salt Spring Island tonight for exhibition games against Island quintettes. The girls' game is slated for 8 p.m. and the boys one hour later.

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Two Saanich and Suburban Basketball League games are scheduled in Saanich tonight.

Saanich and Langford intermediate "B" boys' squads will meet in the corner at 8 o'clock, with Saanich senior "C" men tangling with Langford senior "B" men one hour later.

At the Theatres

DOMINION THEATRE — One of the chief species in Columbia's "Walk a Crooked Mile." Trevin O'Keefe is starring as a G-Man.

ATLAS THEATRE — Screen newcomer Lois Butler makes her debut in the title role of "Mickey," the Eagle Lion Cinecolor production film plays the part of a typical American cowboy who's constantly getting into mischief.

ROYAL THEATRE — Lee McCarrys latest offering, "Good Bam," a warm - hearted human interest comedy stars Cary Cooper and Ann Sheridan. Cooper has the role of Sam Clayton general manager of a department store and is known to the community as Good Sam (short for Good Samaritan because of his selflagging generosity.

CAPITOL THEATRE — Danny Kaye's long-awaited "A Song Is Born" with Virginia Mayo co-starring in the new Samuel Goldwyn Technicolor production, joins the carrot-topped comedian with the greatest aggregation of "Jam Ocrats" ever assembled on the screen at one time.

ODEON THEATRE — Sonja Henie and her new leading man Michael Kirby are featured in Universal-International's "The Countess of Monte Cristo." The romantic comedy also features Olga San Juan, Dorothy Hart and Arthur Treacher.

PLAZA THEATRE — "Canon City" tells the story of a big jail break from the Colorado State Penitentiary late in 1947, and how the escaping convicts were finally brought to justice. The picture is based on actual police files and is packed with scrufs and suspense.

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Fox—"Golden Earrings," with Ray Milland and Marlene Dietrich.

Oak Bay — "October Man," with John Mills and Joan Greenwood

Odeon—"The Countess of Monte Cristo," starring Sonja Henie and Michael Kirby.

Plaza — "Canon City," starring Scott Brady, Charles Russell and Jeff Corey.

Royal—"Good Sam," starring Gary Cooper and Ann Sheridan

May Rebuild Maginot Line

NEW YORK, Feb. 18 (NANA)—Europeans are wondering whether daily military chiefs learned anything at all from the past war following reports that the West is to have a rampart against Russia in the rebuild and integrated Maginot and Siegfried Line.

A flurry dispatch to the authoritative Stockholm daily, Svenska Dagbladet, said that the new static position is to be strengthened by a network of airfields with underground hangars.

While Gen. George S. Patton's troops actually broke into the German Siegfried defences toward the end of World War the French Maginot forts never were broken by the Germans—the line was flanked through Belgium

Symphony to Highlight Old and New Favorites

When the Vancouver Symphony Orchestra, under the direction of Jacques Singer, makes its second appearance at the Royal Theatre here Monday, it will present a program featuring classical and modern compositions.

The program will include the Mozart "Suite in A Major." On the modern side is the "Masquerade Suite" by Khachaturian, said to be outstanding in popularity the composer's famous "Gayne Ballet."

Albert Steinberg, concertmaster and assistant conductor, will be a featured soloist, along with orchestra cellist Barton Frank.

Mr. Steinberg is well known for the Vancouver Symphony "Pops" series which he conducted this Winter. Before coming to the city he was concert master of the Toronto Philharmonic.

Barton Frank is a former scholarship student at the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia and was formerly first 'cellist with the New Orleans Symphony and with the National Symphony in Washington, D.C.

According to Culbertson

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North and South gave a demonstration in today's deal of how not to bid

North, dealer
North-South vulnerable

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♥ 7 6 4 2 3
♦ 8
♣ 8 5 4

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♠ Q 9
♥ Q J 8 7
♦ J
♣ A K 9 7 3 2

EAST
♠ K J 7 4
♥ 5
♦ A K 7 5 4 3 2
♣ Q

SOUTH
♠ 3 2
♥ 10 9 6
♦ Q 10 9 6
♣ Q J 10 5

The bidding			
North	East	South	West
1♠	2♥	Double	2♥
Double	Pass	3 NT	Pass
4♥	Pass	5 NT	Pass
Pass	Pass	Pass	

West led the ten of clubs. East won with the blank king and returned a low diamond which ground to a halt when dummy's blank jack won and before he was through he had lost two more diamonds, a heart and a trick in spades. The contract went down 1,100 points, in their own favor.

It is a remarkable fact that every bid and double made by North and South was wrong. North should not have opened the bidding in the first place, with only one ace, one king and one jack, regardless of his excellent distribution. Next, South had no double of two diamonds. Actually, however, this call was the least reprehensible of the lot, because it might have been effective strategically, as a warning to North against redoubling.

The same sympathetic view of North's double of two hearts cannot be held. Only a psychic would double though ostensibly for counter; was strategically bad. North should have realised that it was already impossible that his opponents would stay in a two-heart contract in other words, the double was simply too good to be true.

South's two no-trump call and North's three-heart bid were about equally rash, and South sealed the entire performance when he bid five no-trumps, even before his partner had been doubled at three hearts.

If North and South had been a little more tactful it probably would have been a game contract which ended up in a bad contract, because of four misfitting hands.

Little Stories for Bedtime

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

FARMER BROWN'S BOY FINDS MRS. GROWLY

Help is coming! Help is coming," cried Sammy Jay as soon as he was near enough for poor Mrs. Grouse to hear him. But Mrs. Grouse was too worn out by her struggles to be cheered even by such good news as this. Indeed she hardly understood what Sammy was saying. You see she had been lying down for so long that it seemed as if her head would burst. She had given up all hope. She felt sure that she would hang there by one leg from the cruel snare in which she had been caught until she either starved to death or something found her and killed her. So in spite of Sammy's effort to cheer her she wasn't cheered. She knew that Sammy meant well, but she couldn't see anyway in which it was possible for any of her friends and neighbors to help her. She felt that she was quite beyond help.

Sammy Jay was much excited. He was so excited he couldn't keep still. Every minute he'd hop from ♣ to tree, back and forth and round and round, all the time watching down the hill. Presently he caught a glimpse of a little spot of red. It was coming nearer and growing bigger every minute. He knew that it was Reddy Fox. He grew more excited than ever.

"Help is coming and it is mine here!" he cried.

Mrs. Grouse swooned at the end of the wire which fastened her to the top of a little tree, was almost too weak to lift her head to look. But she did finally. All she saw was Reddy Fox running swiftly up the hill quite as if he intended to keep right on and not stop at all. The tiny bit of hope that Sammy had managed to arouse in her heart died right then and there. Of what possible help could Reddy be? She began to think that Sammy Jay was simply hearthless and was trying to make her more depressed than she already was, if that were possible.

Then she heard a sound that made her shudder all over. It was a voice. She didn't know whose voice it was, but it was the voice of one of those two-legged creatures that she had learned to fear from the time she first began to run about in the Green Forest. Of course, it was the one who had set that dreadful snare, and he was coming to put an end to her misery and her life. But she hadn't the least desire of it. And she was almost glad. Almost anything would be better than this suffering.

Now if Mrs. Grouse could have understood what that voice was saying, she might have felt differently. Of course, it was the voice of Farmer Brown's Boy. He had just discovered the little brush fence which led Mrs. Grouse into this dreadful trouble. He knew what it meant. Yes, sir, he knew! Once upon a time he had built just such little brush fences himself. That was before he had learned to love his little wild neighbors and to understand them.

"Someone has been setting snares!" he exclaimed. "I'd just like to catch them at it! I'd give them a piece of my mind that they wouldn't forget in a hurry! My! I'm glad I came over here this morning. I hope no one has been caught."

He had quite forgotten Reddy Fox. He hurried along by the little brush fence looking ahead anxiously. And so presently he saw poor Mrs. Grouse hanging from the little tree.

"Oh!" exclaimed Farmer Brown's Boy, and there was a world of pity in his voice. He began to run. Mrs. Grouse fluttered her wings feebly

Next Story: Farmer Brown's Boy's Anger

(Released by The Associated Newspapers)

Odd Egg Defies Cold Weather

MISACHIE LAKE, Feb. 17 — Weather has been so cold lately that even the chickens have declined their own measure of comfort.

Mrs. John Webster reported finding an egg within an egg. She purchased a dozen produced somewhere in the Cowichan area and most of them were double-yolked. Then she broke one which encircled another, about the size of a bantam egg. One was cooked, and the inner one saved. This could be called the "Having your egg and eat it, too."

How It Started

By JEAN NEWTON

CALLING THE CLOTH "DENIM"

The correspondent who asks for the origin of "Denim" and the name of certain yard goods refers to some terms to which modern dress designers are putting material. However, denim as we know it, is cotton drilling which has been used by farmers for generations in this country in the making of overalls and—more recently—as one of the coarser, durable variety of decorative fabrics.

It was not always thus. "Denim" was originally "De Nim." An example of this usage is on record in the issue of the London Gazette of the year 1700, in a reference to "A pair of Flower'd Serge de Nim Breeches."

Now "Serge de Nim" was the English version of Serge de Nimes, a city produced in the celebrated cloth and the cotton fabric with which we are familiar as "denim" is a twilled cotton. Thus ended the story of denim.

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LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher

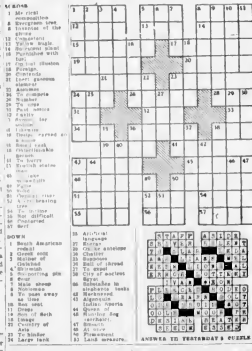
"Who's wipin' the dishes tonight?" . . . "Casey Jones or the gale man?!"

Susie Q. Smith

By Linda and Jerry Walter

"But Owlie TRIPLE-DARED me to tackle you!"

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



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ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S CUZZLE

Scottish Reels, Flings Highlight City Concert

The lilt of the kilt and the swing of the sporran were at their gayest groups.

when Highland dancers and pipers Program was arranged and dancing at the concert and dance of Concert chairman was John Grant, sion at the Crystal Garden. Victoria Nathaniel Dance Associa- association president.

Guest singers were Mrs. C. Goodwin and Mrs. W. R. Wilson. From dancers as only the lassies Hampton, reels and flings were re- and New Westminster came only visiting artist, Mavis Mayzer. Concert pianist, Mr. William Craven.

Featured were Scottish numbers was Mrs. William Craven.

Judgment Reserved on Appeal But Decision Soon, Bench Rules

Mr. Justice A. D. Macfarlane yesterday reserved judgment on the appeal of Mawson Cheps, Ltd., 714 Cormorant Street, which sought to reverse the city police court dismissal of illegal strike charges against Local 230 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers.

The Supreme Court justice pronounced an early decision on the appeal on hearing that a similar charge against P. Byrne, business agent of the local has been adjourned pending his ruling.

Yesterday's appeal went on after a preliminary objection by F. J. McKenzie, representing the union, who declared that the questions in the stated case were not proper questions to be heard by the court.

Later he cited court procedure rules to show that higher courts could not review questions of fact found in lower courts, but were limited to hearing questions of the application of law.

BENCH AGREES

When Mr. Justice Macfarlane agreed that he "take the facts" as the magistrate finds," Mr. McKenzie declared that the magistrate had already found that the union did not authorize an illegal strike, and since that was the substance of the charge, the Supreme Court had no authority to rule otherwise.

J. Howard Harmon, counsel for the company, declared that he was not asking the court to find facts. The magistrate he said, had originally found the union not guilty because he did not think it could be considered as a person in law.

The charge arose last October when Mawson Cheps workers did not show up for work at 8 a.m. Two and a half hours later, delegates from their union turned up to say they would remove the men from the payroll if the firm would not sign a contract with the union.

ACTION VOLUNTARY

The union officials took the work stoppage was a voluntary action on the part of the workers and had not been ordered by the union. They further declared that they had no power to order the men back to work unless there was an agreement between the company and the union, but said they had no power to stop the men from being hired privately.

The company maintained that since there was no strike vote before the work cessation, the stoppage could be termed an illegal strike. When union representatives called after the stoppage a dispute was constituted under the terms of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, the firm claimed.

The union claims that since there was no dispute before the work stoppage, the act did not apply.

Zeballos Arm Has New Mill

ZEBALLOS, Feb. 17 — Alex Lamont superintendent, and George Reeves millwright, contracted machiners when the new Manning Timber Products Ltd. sawmill was opened recently at Zeballos. P. A. E. Manning company president, and Mrs. Manning were present. The mill is located at the head of Zeballos Arm adjacent to the C.P.R. wharf. It has a combination edger and head riggy believed to be the only one of its type in the Province.

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Vancouver Island News

From Colonist Correspondents

—Photo by W. B. McCurdy

DEER STROLLS INTO GROCERY STORE AT COURTENAY

Photograph shows fawn that strolled into grocery store of John Fischer at Courtenay and soon-to-be-family made tour of premises before disappearing into storeroom. Animal showed no fright when addressed by Miss Phyllis Dram, behind counter. Mr. Fischer called game warden who rounded up dear and released it to forest on edge of city.

Brigade Plans To Raise Cash

COLWOOD, Feb 17.—Members of Colwood Volunteer Fire Brigade met in Colwood Community Hall to discuss the possibilities of putting on a stage show in aid of their benevolent fund. They invited F. Benoit, Albert Head, to describe the work such an affair would entail, and to suggest different plays that could be performed. It was decided to table the matter for discussion at a future meeting.

Application of Robert N Wishart for a transfer from associate to active membership was accepted. On motion of Fire Chief Walter Gwyer, J. L. Slater and C. A. Coombes, who recently left the district, were made honorary life members of the brigade.

S. Scotty Harford was welcomed as a new associate member. Robert Little was chairman.

Sooke District Schools Open

LANGFORD, Feb 17.—Trustees of Sooke School District No. 62 announced that no schools had been closed because of cold weather or rain, and attendance had been normal. The school bus will operate as usual Friday morning from the corner of Kangaroo Road and Rocky Point Road to Belmont High School via Albert Head Road, carrying only the usual passengers. A stage will proceed along Happy Valley at 7:45 a.m. Stage service from Malahat district to Langford and Belmont Schools will be resumed Monday.

Stage Banquet

PARKSVILLE, Feb 17.—Nearly 600 persons attended the annual banquet and dance of Council of Masonic Lodge in Parksville Community Hall. R. J. Parsley and H. Jones were masters of ceremonies, and catering was in charge of O. Kindade. Toasts were proposed by R. C. Weid and Dr. T. W. Sutherland.

City to Celebrate Two Anniversaries

NANAIMO, Feb 17.—Progress reports given at the Jubilee Celebration Committee meeting showed Nanaimo intends going all out in commemorating a century of coal mining and its 78th anniversary of incorporation.

Nanaimo Kiwanis Club, which is in charge of store window decorations, submitted its budget of $1,150 for prizes, which included a costume prize. The club suggested waitresses and hotel staffs should compete for a prize to be offered for the best array of early day costumes.

The celebration committee's tentative budget totals $18,796.

It includes services at a full-time manager for the last six weeks before the celebration, parade prizes that would attract entries from far and near, sports, music, concessions and everything that goes to make a good time.

Capt. Leslie Titcombe of the Salvation Army, reporting for the Nanaimo Ministerial Association, reviewed plans for a large religious service on the afternoon of May 22.

Weather permitting, it will take place in Georgia Park, with ministers, massed choirs and loudspeakers stationed on barges in Nanaimo Harbor alongside the park.

Service clubs here have signified their intention of taking charges of the parade, from start to finish, according to Harry Freeman, chairman.

Get More Pay At Courtenay

COURTENAY, Feb 17.—Trustees of Courtenay School District No. 71 will grant increases of $100 a year to teachers in the district who hold first-class elementary and secondary "A" certificates. Six teachers are affected, and the amount to be contributed by the district will be $240. Salaries will come from a Provincial Government grant.

The board turned down applications for an increase to $120 per year in the annual increment given to teachers for each year of service and for an increased principal's allowance.

Present increment is $100 per year.

Andrew Orasey appeared on behalf of the first two requests, while F. B. G. Richardson spoke on behalf of the principals.

The requests had been left for negotiation between teachers and the school board by the arbitration board on teachers' salaries which sat recently at Courtenay.

Steal Fixtures At View Royal

VIEW ROYAL, Feb. 17.—Burglars who entered the home of John H. Bartlett at 208 View Royal Avenue stole carpenters' tools and a quantity of new plumbing fixtures some time Wednesday night. Provincial Police discovered entry had been made by forcing a window. The house had been ransacked while alterations were under way.

Close Schools

LAKE COWICHAN, Feb 17.—Schools in Cowichan Lake School District No. 66 were closed on Wednesday because of the key condition of roads. More snow fell on Thursday.

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Communistic Suggestion Inquiry Arouses Trustee

COURTENAY, Feb 17.—"Workers of the World, Unite" means absolutely nothing to the innocent minds of Courtenay School District No. 71 children.

School Trustee Mrs. R. P. Christie wants the Courtenay-Comox Chamber of Commerce to be sure of that.

A letter from the Chamber of Commerce to the Courtenay School Board asking if the board had knowledge of any District 71 teacher disseminating Communistic theories in the classrooms was cogitated by Mrs. Christie.

"This letter is an insult," she declared at a school board meeting.

Other trustees took a more jocular view of the Chamber of Commerce letter. The board finally decided to act on Trustee W. E. Manlie's suggestion that the Chamber of Commerce be requested to notify the board of departures from the curriculum which may have come to its attention.

Port Requires Hospital Fund

PORT ALBERNI, Feb 17.—Whether or not the new West Coast General Hospital project will be delayed because the Community Chest is short of its $100,000 quota was a question raised by Mayor L. K. Jordan.

Having made the assertion, the mayor said he had been asked for a retraction by the chairman of Community Chest but he declined to retract.

Under the financing plan, all units involved have quotas. Municipalities put up $100,000. Community Chest $100,000 and the balance of the $600,000 total will be made up of provincial grants, Federal grants and a Provincial Government loan. The mayor said if any one part of the financing plan fails, the project will be held up.

Big Pulp Mill To Add Plant

VANCOUVER, Feb. 17 (CP).—The H. R. MacMillan Export Company announced it will add a $2,750,000 bleached sulphate plant to its $13,000,000 pulp mill now being built near Nanaimo.

The mill will produce high-grade bleached sulphite pulp to be sold as raw material for the manufacture of book papers, tissues, and similar uses.

The new plant will add to the employment of highly specialized technicians, and will raise to more than 200 the number of persons who will be regularly employed, officials said.

Board Member Suggests Sub-Offices at Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Feb 17.—Latest suggestion for relieving congestion at the local post office came from Arthur Leighton at a Board of Trade meeting.

Mr. Leighton contended that Nanaimo was big enough to have sub-stations the same as other large cities and the plan would cut down demands at the city's only post office.

If proposed sub-post offices received and took in parcels, and issued money orders and stamps, their existence would be justified. This was borne out by a speaker who stated a sub-post office was now functioning in nearby Five Acres on Harwood Road.

The question arose out of a letter from Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P., in regard to the proposed new post office for Nanaimo.

The board welcomed Capt. Andrew Johnston as a new member and reported progress on rounding up delinquent board member's. The board invited Henry Birks to be guest speaker in March.

Percy Armstrong reported as board delegate to a meeting to discuss the formation of an exhibition board.

Extend Route At Ladysmith

LADYSMITH, Feb. 17.—Diamond District, one mile north of the city, will officially become a part of R.R.1 mail delivery service north out of Ladysmith on Monday. Mail carrier will be P. C. Highfield. Word to this effect was received by J. McKinley Sr., from W. E. McLean, provincial post office inspector.

The new arrangement which will serve more than 40 residents over a one and one-half mile route, is the result of the combined efforts of Mr. McKinley, who petitioned for the service early in 1947, supported by Diamond ratepayers, Ladysmith District Chamber of Commerce, and Maj.-Gen. G. R. Pearkes, V.C., M.P.

Mail will be carried along Grouhel's Road, then Picota Road to Christie's and back to the Island Highway, to tie up with the regular route out North Oyster and Yellow Point.

Want Wig-Wag

ALBERNI, Feb. 17.—Renewal of an application to the Board of Railway Commissioners to have a wig-wag signal placed at the Johnson Street Crossing will be made by the Alberni City Council. Aldermen will ask Port Alberni to apply for a signal at the Rogers Street Crossing.

The E. & N. Railway will be asked to have whistles installed on the new Diesel locomotives which can be recognizable as locomotive warnings.

Weather Forecasts

East Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy with occasional snow flurries. Light winds. Colder.

West Coast of Vancouver Island—Cloudy, with occasional snow flurries, mixed with rain. Light winds. Little change in temperature.

Building Drops

PORT ALBERNI, Feb. 17.—Building permits at Port Alberni were valued at $17,000 in January, against $241,200 for the corresponding month last year.

The January police report showed 38 infringements and 25 convictions. Fines and costs were $300. Statistics listed five cases of breaking and entering, eight thefts, two stolen automobiles, ten accidents, one case of wife-beating, 30 drunks and 94 miscellaneous matters.

DOMESTICATED FUR-BEARERS

Although wild animals are still plentiful in the Courtenay district, domesticated fur-bearers are becoming more and more popular. Ranchers are finding that mink being the most numerous

Snow at Lake

MESACHIE LAKE, Feb. 17. — Three inches of snow on Tuesday night was followed by heavy rain all day Wednesday. It suddenly grew colder, and an inch of snow fell Wednesday night. It snowed Thursday morning. Roads in the district are icy.

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1 BIRTHS

BOSHER—To Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bosher, 1145 Colville Road, at the Jubilee Hospital, on February 16, 1949, a son, 7 lb. 10 oz., 2 oz.

SMITH—Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith, 815 Kelvin Road, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on February 17, 1949, a daughter—Beverly Louise. 6 lbs. 4 oz., a sister for Linda.

WHITE—To Mr. and Mrs. F. White, 748 Market Street, at Jubilee Hospital, on February 17, 1949, a son—Raymond George.

YOUNGSON—To Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Youngson, Rocky Point Rd., Sooke, at the Private Hospital, Victoria, on February 15, a son—Gregory Ellis.

2 MARRIAGES

RUTHERGLANDS—GILHARDONY — The marriage is announced at Black Rock Church, Victoria, on February 12, 1949, of Miss Jean Gilhardony, daughter of Mrs. Mary Gilhardony, to Mr. Andrew S. Rutherglands, son of Mrs. Rutherglands and the late Mr. Rutherglands, of Victoria. Rev. Canon Beanlands officiating. Church Parish, on February 12 with Rev. Canon Beanlands, assisted by Rev. Stanley Gooding.

WATSON-STEWDING—The marriage took place at high noon today of Mary Harry to Mr. Hamilton A. Stewding, son of Mr. Sydney Stewding, Victoria, and the late Mrs. Stewding, at the residence of the bride's parents at 25 Arizona Street, Oak Bay. Rev. Mr. Hall officiating.

3 DEATHS

KAKES—At her residence, 2185 Haultain Street, Hans Lassen Kakes, Agnes Ivy Kakes, beloved wife of Hans Lassen Kakes, in her 57th year. Funeral service will be held in Sands and Anderson's Chapel of Memories, 1590 Quadra Street, on Saturday, February 19, at 2 p.m. Rev. Canon Beanlands, D.D., officiating. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

POOLE—Passed away in Victoria, on February 16, 1949, Mrs. Ellen Poole, aged 84 years. Funeral service will be held from the Chapel of Thomas Hayward & Son, 1625 Quadra Street, on Saturday, February 19, at 2 p.m. Rev. Canon Beanlands officiating. Cremation in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

PULLEN—Passed away in this city, Mrs. Alice Pullen of 1554 Fairfield Road, aged 74 years. The late Mrs. Pullen leaves to mourn her loss her husband, Mr. Thomas Pullen; two sons, Percy Pullen of Victoria and Charles of Victoria; one brother, Thomas and William, of Victoria. Funeral will be held from Christ Church Cathedral on Saturday, February 19, at 2 p.m. Cremation at Royal Oak Crematorium.

ROBINSON—At St. Joseph's Hospital on February 16 this, Mrs. Carol Christie Robinson, aged 70 years, late of 1150 Rockland Avenue, Victoria, B.C. Funeral service will be held in the Chapel of Thomas Hayward & Son, 1625 Quadra Street, on Saturday, February 19, at 1 p.m. Rev. Canon Beanlands, D.D., officiating. Interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

SPARKS—On February 16, 1949, Mr. C. W. Sparks, 61, passed away at the home of his friends Barbara Ann Hill and son, to be survived by his sister, Mrs. Ethel Sparks of Victoria, B.C. Cards at Victoria Funeral Chapel, 1625 Quadra Street.

4 IN MEMORIAM

BURRELL—In loving and affectionate memory of Mary Burrell, who died in Victoria, this 1st February, 1943.

What would we give her hand to clasp,
Her picture here to see,
The tone her voice, to her smile,
The sweet one we used to be.

But sweet memory will never again
Bring back what might have been more now
In Heaven, that lonely Isle.
—Remembered by the family.

BERARDO—In loving memory of my husband, Pte. A. S. Berardo, Canadian Scottish, killed in action in Germany, February 18, 1945.

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—Sadly missed.

TWIM—In loving memory of my dear wife, Ethel Twim, who passed away today, February 18, 1938.

"Asleep in Jesus."

Upright and honest in all her ways,
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What a beautiful memory she left behind.
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Men Who Guard U.S. Presidents Depend on Fists to Halt Cranks

WASHINGTON, Feb 18—(NANA)—Tourists passing and gaping, as all tourists do, at Blair House, temporary residence of the President of the United States, see three things: a server, white brick house, a uniformed policeman and a casual man standing on the front with seemingly nowhere to go and not much to do.

The casual man is one of Washington's most anonymous residents, an agent of the secret service division of the U.S. Treasury. He does a job, which he probably will never use and a hard fist which he will use quickly if you give any indication of a desire to harm the President or one of his family.

Everywhere the President goes the casual man are not far away. They walk with him, ride in his automobile and sometimes dog-trot beside his car when it is passing through heavy crowds.

AFTER RETURNS

They take over a president—elect when the first unofficial returns show he is "in," and they never leave his side until his successor is inaugurated. Agents were lurking behind the bushes when President Woodrow Wilson courted the widow Galt, and when Hoover visited a Seattle hotel suite when Mrs. Warren Harding burst out calling for a doctor to aid the stricken President.

An agent went to Harvard classes with young Franklin Roosevelt and stood beside the President at the youth's funeral after he had died from an attack of food infection. Agents have traveled the world over with Presidents Wilson, Roosevelt and Truman, and one goes on concert tour with Margaret Truman.

The secret service has been guarding the President ever since 1901, and, since they took over the job, no fraudulent American President has been shot or otherwise physically harmed.

The last American President assassinated was William McKinley, shot in Buffalo, N.Y., in 1901, by Leon Czolgosz, an anarchist whose act led to the present secret service assignment. Earlier, Abraham Lincoln had been killed by a mad actor, and, in 1881, James Garfield had been shot in the B. & O. station in Washington by a lunatic with a twisted memory of an old New York Republican feud.

And it is those with twisted mentalities who give agents their sleepless nights.

LETTERS CHECKED

All threatening letters received at the White House are carefully checked. Those writing them in a crime, some authors go to jail; a few, mentally ill, go to asylums for the insane.

When the President travels, advance agents lay out every foot of his route. Coal and brick piles near his path are fenced or placed under guard, iron screens set a sudden return to start dressing. Residents along the presidential way are checked and watchers are placed at high points which might accommodate snipers. Known cranks and extreme radicals are put under surveillance. Crowds are sprinkled with plain clothes men from Federal and local police agencies.

From then on, the agents with the President place their trust in friendly crowds and their own strong fists.

One record is the big protection one agent commented recently. An assault on the President of the United States is a big protection. Any attempt would take aim if he is to almost straight and somebody is going to shoot President-Elect Franklin Roosevelt in Miami. The crowd proved its value, for a woman sent to Zangara seized his arm as he pressed the trigger and the deflected bullet missed Roosevelt but wounded Anton Cermak, mayor of Chicago, causing his death by days later.

ENDED CASUALNESS

This incident destroyed the casualness which Roosevelt had up to that time, shown toward the bodyguard idea and made the secret service men's work easier.

For watching and worrying over the President 24 hours a day the beginning secret service agent gets $8,727 a year. Traveling occasionally he receives an extra $6 a day for board and room, a sum considerably smaller than his out-of-pocket expense in the sort of hotels frequented by presidents.

Sometimes a friendly hotelman will pull out meals for the Presidential guardians and at times a newspaperman will pick up a meal check. Such favors are appreciated, but heads of the agency last Fall noticed the idea that the Democratic National Committee should supplement agents' per diems during the campaign. It might, they explained, lead to a charge of partisanship by agents.

CURING TIME

From 15 to 45 days are required to cure ham before smoking, and from 17 to 30 days for bacon.

President Truman, left, and Prime Minister St Laurent shake hands in Blair House, the United States Chief Executive's temporary residence in Washington, after having lunch there recently. In the background are Canadian Ambassador to the United States, Hume Wrong, left, and U.S. Ambassador to Canada Laurence A. Steinhardt.

Prime Minister and President Shake Hands

Your Health and Your Weight

By JAMES W. BARTON, M.D.

GLAND EXTRACTS SOMETIMES NEEDED TO REDUCE WEIGHT

Just as there is no "royal" road to learning, so is there no royal road in rid the body of excess fat.

Excess fat came on so easily, so comfortably and slowly—simply enjoying rich foods and doing no physical work or taking exercise—that the idea of eating less food and doing more work does not appeal to the overweight. It is only natural then that he or she should look for a royal road—a short cut—to get rid of the excess fat.

Some overweights learning of the 18-day diet have started it bravely, only to go back to their regular diet within a few days ba they suffer collapse or near collapse from lack food. Others, wearied of the 18-day gland treatment, try using the various gland extracts—thyroid, pituitary, adrenal and sex. Because they are taking gland extracts without supervision of a physician they overweights do real and sometimes fatal damage to the heart, kidneys and other organs.

Because in the overweight condition caused by underactivity of the thyroid gland in the neck, the use of thyroid extract helps to reduce weight overwhelm think that the other gland extracts should be helpful in all cases of overweight. However, when the excess fat is not due to underactivity of the thyroid gland, or when the individual of normal weight wants to become slim, the use of thyroid extract is dangerous—ben ecases being reported in which the heart has suffered collapse and death.

Because some physicians found that the reducing diet they have prescribed is not relieving weight satisfactorily they refer their overweight patients to a gland specialist, an endocrinologist. Endocrine is the name given to these glands. What the physician does not realize is that some of these "supposed" gland cases have not followed the diet and instructions carefully.

In "Annals of Internal Medicine," Dr M. M. Kaufe reports his study of 50 patients with obesity (overweight), all had been referred for endocrine gland treatment because their excess weight was causing weakness and heart aggravation, or thought to be due, to lack of gland juices or extracts in the blood.

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$232,500,000 Cost of Plan

OTTAWA, Feb. 18 (CP)—Cost of providing an old-age pension plan of $50 a month at 65 years of age was estimated at $232,500,000 in a return tabled in Commons today by Health Minister Martin. He was replying to a question by K. W. McCullough (CCF, Assiniboia).

This was provided there was a means test similar to that provided in the present Old-Age Pensions Act and that the percentage of persons 65 and over on pension would be the same as for 70 and over.

Without a means test the cost of providing $50 pensions to persons 65 and over would total $578,400,000 and the Dominion's share would be $432,300,000. Number of pensioners in such a case was estimated at 960,700.

Dutch Agree To Obey U.N.

THE HAGUE, Feb. 18 (AP). — The Netherlands Government today announced "in principle" its readiness to comply with United Nations Security Council orders to grant self-rule in Indonesia.

The statement of policy, 18 days after the Security Council had called for immediate compliance, indicated there are reservations to the agreement. A more detailed declaration is expected to be made in Parliament Friday.

C.N.R. Opens Skeena Route

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C., Feb 18 (CP)—Traffic was restored tonight on the Canadian National Railway's route through the lower Skeena Valley to Terrace, B.C. Officials said traffic resumed after a week's delay although a heavy storm was reported along the line from Jasper, Alberta, to Terrace, 80 miles east of here.

CRANIAL FARTS

The human skull has 22 bones.

Worst, Long Recession Seen for U.S. by 1953

LAKE WALES, Fla., Feb 18 (NANA)—Economist Roger W. Babson said here today that the American economy will continue to slump for about six years he added, it will be ruinous to the nation's worst and longest depression. The cause, he said, is the overexpansion of labor leaders. He sees no preventive measures

Babson, founder of two business colleges and nationally famous as a writer of the Babson Statistical Reports, pointed out major economic crises occur in approximately 20-year cycles. He expects the next de-

pression will swing to full momentum by 1952 or 1953.

"Economic panics in the past," Babson said, resulted from the overreaching power of privileged groups, such as the trusts bankers and utilities. Today the role falls to labor.

WON'T SLASH DROP

"Although there is nothing we can do to prevent the pending economic plunge, the economist added, "a repeal of the Taft-Hartley Law would turn labor into the 'runaway horse' of the national economy and hasten depression."

Babson warned, however, that labor leaders and their unions have played a vital role in the national economy by increasing our standard of living. Their role will continue but a less powerful place, he said.

The economist is spending the Winter months here directing nearby Webber College for women. The other college he founded is Wellesley College for men in Newton, Mass.

Top German Officials Involved In Huge Black Market Scandal

NEW YORK, Feb. 18 (NANA)—A huge scandal, involving a number of present and former high German officials, is brewing in Bavaria, according to The Sunday Times of Frankfort. Preliminary investigations have begun to light the black market dealings to the tune of $6,500,000, involving high-ranking members of the Bavarian ministry of food and agriculture.

Unauthorized shipments of Bavarian dairy products to Northern Germany were exchanged for textiles which were then sold on the black market.

Chief target of the investigation is a former Nazi, Max Haushein, who had been appointed department head by the former ministry of agriculture, Joseph Baumgartner. Although he does not appear on the black market, Haushein is said to be directly involved, Baumgartner, who now heads the German rightist "Bavarian Party," attempted to cover up Haushein's affairs during the investigation.

On the strength of the information obtained, on Feb. Minister of Justice Dr. Joseph Mueller has described the case as a "gigantic gang."

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Saddle Strings

By OREN ARNOLD

CHAPTER XXIII—Continued

Now that stumped Alita. Come to think of it, had why had she wanted to visit him? She realized he couldn't fit into her rather unusual plan, his project she and Don had set for themselves. Luther couldn't drop his ranch duties and devote ten days to helping them. Still—

"I—I just wanted to talk to him about it, is all," she explained. "It doesn't matter. But I can't imagine where he is! Where do you suppose he has run off to?"

"Why do you say 'run off'?" Don looked at her. "Can't he take care of himself? We don't own him."

"No. But—"

She didn't complete her answer. She just stared through the windshield for a long while.

"Listen to her talk!" said Don, fondly, of their automobile. "She acts as if she were over that business!"

Alita smiled at him. She loved her kid brother dearly. "You are a good trainer, Don. It minds you well."

"Hot diggety!" said Don. "She don't use much gas, either. And no oil at all."

"That's something."

"Yeah man."

"I've got my first hard task to do, in town," Alita said then. "You stop where I can phone, and I'll get another on the wire. I can get away from her easier than I could if we go to tell her in person."

The brother and sister already had their suitcases in the car trunk. Also a filled water canteen, some cooking equipment, an emergency tent, two bed rolls, and a box of groceries.

It took Alita nearly fifteen minutes to tell her mother that she should not worry, but that the two of them —brother and she—would be gone from home for at least a week, maybe longer, on a private business of their own.

CHAPTER XXIV

Luther Pool, young rancher, had been reared with a regard for self-reliance, and all his life when trouble presented itself he had in effect doubled up his fists and dared it to come on. More times than not he bluffed the trouble right down, and other times he managed to lick it with dispatch and ease.

Now Luther Pool did not make a practice of butting in on other people's affairs. But anything that concerned the Ed Bradley family automatically concerned him. There positively were his own affairs, in his estimation. The Bradley parents had given him a job and encouragement when he trekked into Arizona as an orphan lad, years before. For more than a decade big Ed had fathered him, advised him, aided him. Luther felt a sense of gratitude more profound than most men ever know. He had tried to show it, and longed for a chance to give proof.

Milton Girardeau suddenly offered the chance. Luther went to a lawyer after leaving the Bradley home that afternoon.

"Thanks, I just wanted to be clear on these points," he told the attorney after a half-hour talk. "You send me your bill. Or will till I see you again, I may need more help."

"Power to you, Mr. Pool," the lawyer said. "But if you're heading for Los Angeles tonight, you better hurry. That train's about due."

He caught the westbound train, sat up or dozed in a shair car all night to save money. He had time to think a lot, too, and so mapped out his plan in detail. He ate breakfast in the coast city and at eight o'clock was in a taxicab.

"Take me out Wilshire Boulevard," he directed. "I got the number in my notebook here somewhere." He found it and told the driver. Allis had mentioned exactly where Girardeau lived. At this early hour Luther felt sure Girardeau would be in. He read the apartment number Alita had told them—Suite 13-A.

He entered the apartment building and made straight for the elevator.

"Looking for somebody?" a youth in uniform inquired.

"Yes. Twelfth floor, please."

"Who you looking for?"

"A man. On the twelfth floor."

"Who are you. Tom Mix or the Lone Ranger or somebody? This is a private apartment building."

Luther really looked at the young ster then. "Listen son, start this elevator, or I'll take you by the leg and toss you over the window sill!" He grinned an arm and pointed him at the elevator controls, incidentally squeezing hard enough to hurt.

The elevator shot up. The kid watched him knock on the door of apartment 13-A.

"Why didn't you ring from downstairs, mystery?" he wouldn't tell me what you wanted."

"Where's Girardeau?"

"Left town."

"Yeah? Don't believe you. Your bits says you can't prove it, and show where he went."

"It's a deal."

The boy showed him. First he opened Girardeau's apartment and they found it empty; although a few personal effects remaining convinced Luther the man had been there. Next the boy showed Luther a penciled note, signed by Girardeau, directing that his mail be forwarded to an address in San Francisco.

"Whew, gin-reel" breathed Luther, studying the note.

"His rent's paid for the rest of the month," the boy volunteered. "You a friend of his?"

Call it that. He're a the ball dollar, son."

"Gee, thanks, cowboy! Where are you from?"

"Egypt," said Luther, departing.

He took the next train out to the city of the Golden Gate, but the run was a long one. Luther did not go direct to the new address. He wanted to call in the early morning when conditions would be more nearly ideal.

At eight o'clock the next day, though, he went to the San Francisco address and discovered it was a hotel. He inquired for Milton Girardeau, but the clerk had no knowledge of such a man.

"He entered his mail sook here from Los Angeles," Luther stated "I thought sure I'd catch him here."

The clerk looked in the mail file. Yes, there was a letter or two waiting. Evidently he expected to arrive.

Luther took a room in the same hotel, after which he sat down in the lobby to watch and wait. He sat there, with increasing impatience for three days and nights. Finally the clerk told him a note came through from Mr. Girardeau expressing thanks and regrets, and asking that mail be forwarded to New York City. The new address was on Park Avenue.

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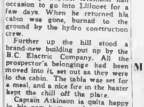

The Prospector's Cabin

Vancouver, B.C.

When Capt. N. E. Atkinson was advised that the cabin he had occupied for years at Bridge River would have to be razed to make way for a giant hydro plant being erected by the B.C. Electric Company, the old prospector was most unhappy over the outlook. The shack held all the treasured possessions he had gathered in a lifetime of searching for gold all over the world. He decided to stick to his place as long as possible.

Recently Captain Atkinson had occasion to go into Lillooet for a few days. When he returned his cabin was gone, burned on the ground by the hydro construction crew.

Further up the hill stood a brand-new building put up by the B.C. Electric Company. All the prospector's belongings had been moved into it, set out as they were in the cabin. The table was set for a meal, and a nice fire in the heater kept the chill off the place.

Captain Atkinson is quite happy in his new home, and now thinks that maybe big corporations have a heart after all.

This story from "Recording Only the Sunny Hours," in The Christian Science Monitor.

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CRISPY CRUNCHY COOKIES
So thrifty—so tasty—made with
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OATMEAL CRISPS
Temperature 375°F.
Time 10 minutes
½ cup shortening
½ cup brown sugar
½ cup Ogilvie Oats
1½ cups all purpose flour
½ teaspoon soda
½ teaspoon ginger
½ teaspoon cinnamon
½ teaspoon mace
Measure shortening and sugar into a bowl; let stand until room temperature. Add unbeaten egg; cream mixture until light and fluffy. Add Ogilvie Oats; mix well and let stand for 5 minutes. Add all dry ingredients in one addition; chill 3 hours. Spoon small amounts of batter—not in palms of hands—place on oiled cookie sheet and flatten with the back of a fork. Bake in a moderate oven. Yields 100 small cookies.
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LIL ARNER — Monopoly — By Al Capp

THAT'S MY STUDIO—
NOW I'VE GOT IT! THEY'RE MINE!! MINE!!
THEN IS? THINK NICE IT YOURS?
WHAT'S YOURS?
YOUR LEGS—THE MOST BEAUTIFUL IN THE WORLD! UNTIL THEY'RE PHOTOGRAPHED. I'LL GET ALL THE FABULOUS MILLION ACHE—AND NO OTHER ARTIST CAN COMPETE WITH ME BECAUSE NO OTHER ARTIST WILL EVER SEE THOSE LEGS—
EVER!!

RIP KIRBY — By Alex Raymond

SHE ACCEPTS!... BUT SHE WANTS TO BRING A FRIEND...!
NOPE IT'S NOT THAT STUFFED SHIRT WHO MET HER AT THE PLANE...A FELLOW NAMED KIRBY...
MR. RIP K-KIRBY WHY, I KNOW HIM! I'D BE DELIGHTED TO MEET HIM AGAIN!
R.R. YOU'RE SWEET TO TAKE ME TO THE MOVIES...BUT YOU'LL GO TO THE PARTY TOMORROW PLEASE!
POSITIVELY NOT! THE BEAUMONTS DON'T LIKE MEN WHO BRING UNINVITED
YOU ARE SO TOO! I SAID I'D BRING A FRIEND...AND YOU'RE MY FRIEND! I HAVE I DON'T LIKE ME
YOU SHALL BE USUALLY DOWN—
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BLONDIE — The Women in His Life — By Chic Young

ANOTHER DAY, ANOTHER DOLLAR!
BEFORE YOU GET IN BED WILL YOU STEP IN COOK'S ROOM AND SEE IF SHE'S COMFORTABLE?
D-D, YOU MEAN YOU WANT ME TO DO THAT AT JUST THAT MOMENT?

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY — By Dale Allen

MARGO,DEAR!...COME IN AND MEET OUR NICE NEW NEIGHBOR...MRS. WORTH!
WITH PLEASURE!...I OBSERVE THAT MY SWEET LITTLE SISTER HAS BEEN DELIVERING HER LECTURE ON DESIGN...IT WAS GOOD ENOUGH FOR GRANDMA, ETC.!!
I ONLY INSIST, MARGO, THAT A TABLE DOESN'T HAVE TO LOOK LIKE A WORK BENCH!...OR A CHAIR LIKE SOMETHING PUT TOGETHER BY A STEAM FITTER!
ONE THING SURE DARLING—WE'LL NEVER FALL IN LOVE WITH THE SAME MAN!...BECAUSE YOU'LL WANT HIM TO WEAR A PONYTAIL AND KNEE-BREECHES WITH PEWTER BUCKLES!!

JOHNNY HAZARD — By Frank Robbins

WHAT HAVE YOU DONE TO JACKIE, IF YOU'VE HARMED HIM—
NOW, MRS. FRONT... TAKE IT EASY... THE BOY'S ALL RIGHT... I'LL VOUCH FOR IT /
U-JACKIE!
HI, PEEN / I'M READY... JOHNNY /

POP — Broken Record — By J. Millar Watt

MUTT AND JEFF — The Whole Truth and Nothing But the Truth — By Bud Fisher

BESIDE PUSHING THE PLAINTIFF, YOU BEAT UP THREE COPS, TOO, DIDN'T YOU?
YEH, YOUR HONOR BUT I MUSTA DONE IT IN A MOMENT OF WEAKNESS!
AH, YOU ADMIT YOU PUSHED THE PLAINTIFF?
WELL— JUST A LITTLE BIT! NOT HARD!
ABOUT HOW HARD?
OH, ABOUT—
ABOUT HALF THAT HARD, YOUR HONOR!

THE NEBBS — Solving the Problem — By Dana

I'VE HAD SCARCELY ANY RESPONSE FROM MY AD FOR A COUPLE... I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT...
I CAN'T EITHER...SHE AD WAS SO ATTRACTIVE...I WAS TEMPTED TO ANSWER FOR THE GOD MYSELF...
SAY, MAYBE I CAN GET YOU A COUPLE... I MET AN OLD PAL OF MINE TODAY AND HE AND HIS WIFE HAVE JUST BEEN EVICTED...
OH, WILBUR, DO YOU REALLY THINK YOU COULD GET ANYTHING? SUCH A GOOD HUSBAND?
OF COURSE HE CAN! MY WILLIE CAN DO ANYTHING!

PENNY — By Harry Haenigsen

THE THING THAT I HATE MOST ABOUT LIVING IN THIS STUFFY TOWN—
IS THE LACK OF INTELLECTUAL COMPANIONSHIP!
WHY DON'T YOU JOIN OUR LITERARY CLUB?
DON'T LET THAT STUFF YOU, CLEO.
HUMPH! I SHOULD SAY NOT! SO MANY BOOKS IN IT!
THERE'S ALWAYS ROOM FOR ONE MORE!

Build Up Ripple Rock, Install Light Beard Urges; Requests Better Roads

Ripple Rock should be built up above the water and given light and fog signal, Cmdr. Charles Beard (Cln., Esquimalt) told the Legislature yesterday.

Up to now, numerous efforts have been made to remove the rock, the graveyard of many ships in Seymour Narrows.

Cmdr. Beard asserted that Ripple Rock now is an eminent menace to navigation and also causes violent turbulence. If it were raised, he said, larger ships could pick it out by radar, while smaller ones could be guided by lights and a fog signal.

While giving the Government credit for giving help to stranded shipping in his constituency, Mr. Beard pleaded for better roads, especially the main road leading from Victoria to Sooke.

He called attention to the bottleneck in the View Royal district and asserted that no section of British Columbia was growing any faster. The road near Kangaroo Bluffs and the narrow section near 17-Mile House he called a menace to modern traffic. Two bridges on the Malahat section of the Island Highway were crying for renewal.

Mr. Beard hoped that, in the near future, the Government would build a road to Port Renfrew because the climatic conditions on Lower Vancouver Island would attract more settlers than any country served by the P.G.E. Railway.

To promote rural electrification, he suggested that rates for electricity be increased in the cities.

The much - discussed canal through the Gorge into Esquimalt Harbor lay entirely within Provincial territory, Mr. Beard pointed out, and should be undertaken as a Provincial responsibility.

Announcements

Salvage Collection: The Salvation Army will pick up from your door salvage of all kinds. Call used clothing, shoes, furniture, your rags, household mattresses, carpets, rugs, carpet sweepers, newspapers, magazines, rendered fats. When you give it to the Army it is to help others. Phone G 7812.

Private Tutor—Mr. R. N. M. Murray, M.C., B.A. (classical honors, University of London), undertakes tuition Latin, Greek, French. 3087 Quimper terminus Richardson bus. Inquiries by post or visit, please, pending installation telephone.

Salvage Collection for James Bay Esquimalt and Gorge. We collect rags, paper, household mattresses and all kinds of bottles. Phone E 3410.

Olaf H. Lowenberg, Swedish masseur. Treatment in the home. Rheumatism disorders, lumbago, sciatica, etc. E 3301 or E 3311.

Lake Hill Quadra Residents, your nearest cast is White Owl, 3 blks. at Quadra and Cook. Serve time, save money

You can now get your Horton repaired while you wait! Metalcraft, Lighter Repair, 708 Fort Street, at Kilburger's the Jewelers.

Arion Male Voice Choir and assisting artists, concert, this Sat., United Church, Friday, February 18, 8.30 p.m. Admission, 50c.

Admirals and Esquimalt Road Barber Shop—Mr. E. Orr has returned to work, two chairs operating again.

St. Mark's Church, Cloverdale. Men's Society will hold its usual card game, whist and bridge, on Friday, February 18, at 8 p.m.

Steam baths, short wave, hot packs, massage, colonic irrigation. 1824 Blanshard Street. Phone E 8111.

Colonics, Massage, etc. (E 6121) Estelle M. Kelley, Ext. 25, years, 901 Royal Trust Bldg., 612 View.

Esteven Barber Shop (basement) 2618, faithful barber service a habit. Harry Firth.

St. David's Day Banquet will hold a sale of tickets at the Hudson's Bay, second floor, on February 18.

Twilight Recital by the Centennial Choir Church choir at First Baptist Church, Sunday, 3 p.m.

Robert Van Horne, physiotherapy, is now located in new offices. 1540 Hampshire Road. G 1818.

Typing Neatly Done—Public stenographer, 206 Kresge Bldg. E 2430

Chiropodist—D. S. Caird, D.S.C. 316 Pemberton Building. E 8732.

Ship and Air Schedules

ALL TIMES SHOWN ARE PACIFIC STANDARD.

C.P.R.

Victoria-Vancouver—Lv. Victoria 7.30 a.m., 9.00 a.m., 1.00 p.m., 5.15 p.m., 11.45 p.m. Ar. Vancouver 9.45 a.m., 11.30 a.m., 3.15 p.m., 7.30 p.m., 2.00 a.m.

Victoria-Seattle—Lv. Victoria 8.30 a.m. Ar. Seattle 3.30 p.m.

Seattle-Victoria—Lv. Seattle 7.30 a.m. Ar. Victoria 12.00 p.m.

Nanaimo-Vancouver—Lv. Nanaimo 9.00 a.m. and 5.30 p.m. (daily except Sunday) and 2.15 p.m. (daily except Saturday). Ar. Vancouver 11.30 a.m. and 8 p.m. (daily except Sunday) and 4.45 p.m. (daily except Saturday). Lv. Vancouver 1.30 p.m. and 8 p.m. (daily except Sunday). Ar. Nanaimo 4.00 p.m. and 10.30 p.m. (daily except Sunday). Lv. Vancouver 11 a.m. and 10.30 p.m. Ar. Nanaimo 1.30 p.m. and 1.00 a.m. Lv. Nanaimo 11.30 a.m. Ar. Vancouver 2.00 p.m. Lv. Vancouver 8.00 a.m. Ar. Nanaimo 10.30 a.m. Lv. Nanaimo 6.00 p.m. Ar. Vancouver 8.30 p.m. Lv. Vancouver 11.45 p.m. Ar. Nanaimo 2.15 a.m. Lv. Nanaimo 2.30 p.m. Ar. Vancouver 5.00 p.m. Lv. Vancouver 5.00 p.m. Ar. Nanaimo 7.30 p.m. Lv. Nanaimo 7.30 a.m. Ar. Vancouver 10.30 a.m. Lv. Vancouver 10.30 a.m. Ar. Nanaimo 1.00 p.m. Lv. Nanaimo 1.00 p.m. Ar. Vancouver 4.00 p.m. Lv. Vancouver 4.00 p.m. Ar. Nanaimo 7.00 p.m. Lv. Nanaimo 7.00 p.m. Ar. Vancouver 10.00 p.m. Lv. Vancouver 10.00 p.m. Ar. Nanaimo 1.00 a.m. Lv. Nanaimo 1.00 a.m. Ar. Vancouver 4.00 a.m. Lv. Vancouver 4.00 a.m. Ar. Nanaimo 7.00 a.m. Lv. Nanaimo 7.00 a.m. Ar. Vancouver 10.00 a.m. Lv. Vancouver 10.00

Rare Trumpeter Swans Wintering on Island

Rare Trumpeter swans shown above are part of some 70 saved from possible extinction recently by R.C.A.F. airmen who dropped bags of barley at edge of secret-bound Lonesome Lake, 200 air miles north of Vancouver. Second flock of migratory swans may be Wintering in Sayward Valley, north of Campbell River, according to J. A. Munroe, Dominion wildlife officer.

Steel Shortage Hinders British Shipbuilding

LONDON, Feb 18 (CP)—British shipbuilding yards, while still the world's most productive, are a shade less busy than they were in the middle of last year, when they were working at their highest level in more than 25 years.

Steel shortages, and the fact that year-end launchings were heavier, helped to lower the figures for total work in hand. At December 31 the yards were building 2,114,730 tons gross, a fall of 46,262 tons compared with the end of 1947.

Nevertheless 51 per cent of the world's shipbuilding has year took place in British yards. A large portion of the new work was for tanker construction, which has become an increasingly important feature in the British program.

FOREIGN ORDERS

Altogether orders have been placed for 208 tankers, 102 for foreign owners. Many of the latter are for Norway, which at present charters about 80 per cent of its tanker fleet to Britain.

The biggest British purchaser is the British Tanker Company, the shipping organization of the Anglo-Iranian Oil Company. There are 49 ships now building to add to its present fleet of 113 vessels.

Sixteen are building for the Shell group, which during the war lost 96 ocean-going tankers. The loss in tonnage already has been replaced, and exceeds the pre-war registration by 30 per cent.

Three of Shell's new vessels are of 28,000 tons, each of which is expected to cost more than £1,000,000 ($4,000,000).

COSTS STILL HIGH

Costs in all classes of shipbuilding remain high, and more than one company, including Canadian Pacific Steamships, has withheld orders. Shipbuilders generally refuse to quote a fixed figure, and costs during the building period are apt to rise so rapidly one shipowner recently likened placing an order to issuing a blank cheque.

Tanker builders are anxious about the future of subsidies to the steel trade worth about £22,000,000 yearly. If they were removed or modified prices would rise sharply.

Pensioners Praise Native Daughters

LADYSMITH—The work of the Native Daughters Post No 7, among the senior citizens, won high praise from members of the Old Age Pensioners Association in meeting here recently. President J. Mason, R. Simpson, H. Wheeler and W. Joyce, secretary, were delegated to meet assured" that 65 years of age and the Daughters to further the work no means test would be passed this There are 56 paid-up members onnion. The local group had set an including seven new members for objective of 60 years.

1948. Mr. Joyce told of many visits Support of Maj.-Gen. G. R. to the sick in hospital and at home. Pearkes, M.P., and Mr. R. Outhrie, M.L.A., will be sought to further the The provincial executive has ad- visied the O.A.P.A. "It is almost cause of the O.A.P.O.

Britain still remains the home of the big ships. At the end of the year only two vessels in excess of 35,000 tons were being built, both in British yards.

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66-Piece DINNER SETS 39.50

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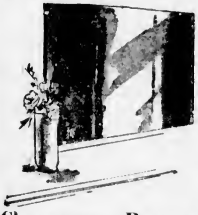
China, Third Floor

Special Purchase! PLATE GLASS MIRRORS 14.95



Special purchase of regular 19.95 mirrors from a well-known Canadian manufacturer! Large 24 x 36-inch size for mantel or hallway! Heavy plate with polished edge, conventional straight-line border design. Reflect the beauty of your room . . . choose one early at "The Bay."

Draperies, Fourth Floor

Clearance—Rayon Crepe PYJAMAS

Favorite two-piece, butcher-boy style in pastel shades of peach, blue, green, grey or yellow. Plain and floral patterns. Well cut, roomy, small, medium and large sizes.

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Lingerie, Second Floor

Special Savings in

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Reg. 69c BRUSH AND COMB SETS, 37 Only, pink shade. Special..... **49¢**

Reg. 3.98 WOOL BLANKETS, handwoven, blue, pink designs. 9 only. Special..... **2.98**

Reg. 2.98 PLEATED RAYON CREPE SKIRTS, 42 only. Sizes 2 and 4. Light blue. Each..... **1.98**

Reg. 1.98 BOYS' SHORT TROUSERS, 47 pairs, flannels and tweeds. Size 2..... **98¢**

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Clearance—ENGLISH-STYLE PRAMS

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Regular 7.95 LONG-SLEEVE JACQUARDS, 3 only, in size 40. Special..... **3.95**

Regular 8.75 LONG-SLEEVE ARGYLES, 3 Only. Special..... **4.35**

Regular 5.75 WAFFLE KNIT, 6 Only. Special..... **2.75**

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Fancy McIntosh..... 2 lbs **29¢** Box **3.59**

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PRUNE PLUMS, Royal City, 20-oz. tin..... **15¢**
PEARS, Aylmer, Fancy, Bartletts, 20-oz. tin..... **32¢**
RASPBERRIES, 10-oz. tin..... **25¢**
20-oz. tin **39¢**
APPLE JUICE, Aylmer, 20-oz. tin..... **11¢**
10½-oz. tin **8½¢**
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Soup

Aylmar, assorted, 12 tins per carton..... **99¢**

Coffee

Fort Garry Yellow Label, 1-lb. pkt..... **49¢**
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Hostess Tea

H.B.C., pkt. for..... **77¢**
8 pkts **2.25**

Canned Vegetables

CUT GREEN BEANS, Aylmer choice..... 2 tins **33¢**
CREAM CORN, Royal City..... 2 tins **39¢**
ASPARAGUS CUTTINGS, Aylmer, 12-oz. tins..... 2 for **49¢**
PEAS, Aylmer, choice size 5's, 20-oz. tins at..... 2 for **32¢**
TOMATOES, Pride of Okanagan, choice, 28-oz. tins at..... 2 for **45¢**
PEAS, Orchard Grove, standard 5's..... 2 for **19¢**
PEAS and CARROTS, Aylmer, 10-oz. tins..... 2 tins **21¢**

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Lyles, just arrived from England!
1-lb. tin... **18¢** 2-lb. tin..... **33¢**

Marmalade Oranges

2 lbs. **35¢**

Frozen Fresh Strawberries, Raspberries
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Tomato Juice Libby's 2 tins **35¢**
Ketchup Cross & Blackwell's, bottle for..... **25¢**
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